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Circle, Johnson Street, Kennedy something, as the problem will

Police Chief R. W. Withworth additional equipment to manage

told council members that there this work. The council will be

mals loose or New Brockton equipment.

50 Cents

Elba, Alabama

Thursday, October 17, 2002

1 Section, 20 Pages



year contract with the Evergreen 60 YEARS AND GETTING STRONGER...The Elba Marching Tiger Band traveled to Brewton last Saturday, Oct. 12, to compete in the Mayor James Grimes said Cemetery in which the city annual band competition held at the home of the T.R. Miller Tigers. This event was scheduled as a two-part competition; however, the band previously that Elba has a num- crews will keep the grass cut members and fans found the weather to the the biggest opponent as the second part of the competition was canceled due to heavy rainfall. ber of streets which need work, year round in exchange for a Nevertheless, the band did manage to receive its ratings from the first part of the competition and proved that the Marching Tiger Band but these above named streets payment of \$20,000 annually continues to hold strong with its tradition of pride and excellence. Above, the band begins its superior rated performance in the afternoon were in danger of being lost from the cemetery fund. Mayor session as the members make their move from the opening set. This year's marching band show will be one of many highlights Friday completely if something wasn't. Grimes explained that the city night, Oct. 18, during Elba High School's Homecoming 2002 as the Marching Tiger Band celebrates its 60th marching season.

#### Assault leads Elba Police officers to methamphetamine lab

is a growing problem with a asked to address this equipment shortage of space at the local need at the next council meet-Both New Brockton and \$17,525.90 were approved for dogs. There have been times and maintenance; \$1,003.25 for responded to an accident on and assorted when the overflow resulted in radio repair; \$831.46 a police some private citizens from out radar unit and \$4,548.90 for Pee in the county just turning ani- Wee football supplies and soon discovered the driver with Following

men wanted on the assault war

that house persons of any age pregnancy during the influenza with chronic medical conditions season

would have to acquire some

through the end of influenza Persons with kidney dysaside for those at highest risk for immune system problems receive the vaccine during \*Children and teenagers (6

older, regardless of health status therapy \*Residents of nursing homes \*Women who will be in the and other chronic-care facilities second or third trimester of that house persons of any age pregnancy during the influenza. White at the residence, Whitworth said his officers

months of age and older with chronic disorders of the pulmonary or cardiovascular systems (including children with asthma)

\*Adults and children 6 months of age and older who have required regular medical

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\*Including the regular bimonthly meeting of the commission and entertained a motion to sign the bills and adjourn within 20 minor county. The only matter to receive a bit of opposition during the short meeting involved a motion of the new lock system is not complete yet, however, he county road can proceed. Acquiring the right-of-way land bit of opposition during the short meeting involved a motion received a second, it was approved by a plete soon.

The only matter to receive a bit of opposition during the short meeting involved a motion received a second, it was approved by a plete soon.

assault led Elba Police officers warrant on the residence of methamphetamine. Friday, Oct. 11, to the discovery Bedsole. Whitworth said offi- Altogether, Whitworth said on charges of Assault First of a methamphetamine lab. cers seized the components used two suspects were arrested at Degree and Criminal Mischief

Coffee County have agreements payment. Included was \$3,69.24 Whitworth said officers with the phetamine along with a large John Adcock was charged with "Everyone needs to be aware Elba Police Chief R.W. in the manufacture of methant the Bedsole residence. Tony First Degree. for Elba to accept their stray for vehicle and equipment repair Elba Police Department amount of methamphetamine oil Assault First Degree, of the methamphetamine epi-Alabama Hwy. 87 South during drug parapher "Everyone needs Methamphetamine associated with the manufacture the early hours of Oct. 11 and natia. to be aware of the First Degree and and use of the drug." Whitworth injuries not usually associated the discovery, methamphetamine D Influenza vaccination urged with a vehicle accident. Whitworth said the driver of the vehicle told police officers that was charged with a vehicle told police officers that vehicle accident. In the dependence, as well as paraphermatra. Scott M. Auclaire was charged with Anyone who suspects someone

by Public Health Department he had been beaten by two sub- science ated with the man- the Manufacture else of manufacturing or using methamphetamine should conmethamphetamine should con-County health departments in follow-up or hospitalization last

As the investigation pro- chemicals R.W. Whitworth Paraphernalia. Mobile to finalize the clean up season in Alabama, and the function, hemoglobinopathies or gressed. Whitworth said as so crated. The second man at the Bedsole residence after Investigator Andy Gunter with the manufacture of sought on the assault charges the discovery of a methamphetobtained felony warrants for the methamphetamine laboratories was located and arrested in amine lab. arrest of two men in conjunction. Also, Whitworth said the Dothan by officers with the "As the investigation conti-

with the assault. At that point, department will further process. Dothan Police Department, ues with this case, we expect he said officers went to the resi- the evidence to be used in the Anthony Paul Karpinski was additional charges and arrests to dence of Brent Bedsole, 14196 trial and prosecution of the sus- later picked up in Dothan by be made," Whitworth said. October include:

\*Persons 65 years of age and october include:

\*Person

Alabama will be administering unifluenza vaccine in special bolic diseases (including diabelian process) the bolic diseases (including

by Linda Hodge, Editor Lewis to pay Jerry Evans, a resident on County Road 272. Jim Thompson and Doug The Coffee County \$3,500 for .44 acres of right-of Dalrymple voting against it.

Area Happenings

OMECOMING TAILGATE PARTY Members of the Elbs

Chamber of Commerce invite everyone to join them for the third annual "tiger" tailgate party on Thursday, Oct. 17, at 5:30 p.m., in

SOCIATION will hold its monthly meeting Thursday, Oct.

17, at the Coffee County Farm Center, in the Extension Office

AREA FOOTBALL GAMES On Friday, Oct. 18, the Elba

Community Room, New Brockton, Ala., at 7 p.m.

the lot next door to The Peoples Bank. Following the tailga

with a bontire at Miller Memorial Stadium.

observed items used in the man Commission zipped through its way land.

\*Adults and children 6 \*Persons who can transmit ufacture of methamphetamine agenda Monday morning. Oct. Lewis said Evans had agreed trator Zack Ennis reported to months of age and older with influenza to those at risk includ-

> ne is holding a payment of approximately \$20,000 until the project is completely finished. In another matter concerning permission to Ennis for the hir ing of an additional correction officer. Mobley said one of the employed cooks had left the jail.

and Ennis requested hiring another correction officer instead of another cook: Mobley said this request will only cause a classification change for the hiring process and will not affect the salary

The request was approved by unanimous vote.

Commissioners had only one bid to open and award during Monday's meeting. Supplying bids for daily cover mulch were Louisiana Vegetation Management Inc. and Central Fiber Corporation.

After reviewing the bids county engineer Randy Tindell recommended that the commission award the bid to Central Fiber Corporation as the primary source and to Louisiana Vegetation Management Inc. as ne secondary source.

Central Fiber submitted a bid

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SHOE BOX RIBBON CUTTING HELD... The Elba Chamber of Commerce and several local officials welcomed Elba's newest business to the city last Thursday morning, Oct. 10, with a ribbon cuting ceremony. The Shoe Box, located between Head 2 Toe Salon and H&R Block in the shopping center off the 203 Bypass in Elba, specializes in the sale of women's shoes. Those present for the ribbon utting ceremony included (from left): Kaye Whitworth, executive director of the Elba Chamber of amerce; Sam Cooper; Dinah Coppage; Junior Miss Elba Lyndsay Lawford; Carol Jackson and her ughter, Isabella; Ramona Grantham; Evan Tew; Polly Tew; Jerrice Davis; Jeff Tew; Pat Pipkin, vier; Little Miss Elba Brinley Williams; Tim Johnson; Elba Mayor James Grimes; Doris Matthews; nneth Calhoun; Barry Giles; Harold Wayne Lawford; Destiny Hudson; Herby McCall; Miss Elba ay Johnson; and Jimmy Harrison.

All former band members will

be invited to sit together behind

the band. Sixth grade band stu-

dents will play in the stands

with the high school band. At

field direction of former Elba

Lee (Emit) Daniels, Norma and

GA, and Lillian M. Lony, Gary,

La., Scedell Culver and Ruth

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#### **EDITORIAL**

# With Ferrin Cox

The sniper shootings in the Washington D.C. area are not admired learly 1940s-1952 will ride our ... Will we get to see all of the following the game. by anyone with any sanity at all. But emerging from this horrible entry in the parade. They will band show? situation, there is something to greatly admire. It is not unusual to meet at the Church of Christ. Yes, We will go onto the field. Yes. see a sign at a gas station in the targeted area which reads "Don't parking lot at 2.30 p.m. at the end of the band's halftime pass, we will pump your gas." These signs are displayed by mem- . I have not been called. Am I show and march off with the bers of the Guardian Angels organization in the area. These vol-unteers are offering to pump gas for drivers fearful of becoming Yes, no one has been called • What time do we start? targets for the sniper who has shot 11 people recently, four of We have no way of knowing. We will begin at 5 p.m. in the whom were shot at gas stations. These men are offering them: everyone who has ever partici- elementary school band room. selves as the ultimate target so that others may go about their rou pated in the band program. We At 7 p.m., we will go to the sta-from 1942-1952 will gather at lead the current band members tine without extra life endangering exposure to the gun being ran are relying on "Word of Mouth" dium for the pre-game actividomly fired at regular people by this nut(s). We have no idea what to get the news out about the ties. Transportation will be pro- lot on the Troy Highway to ride religion these volunteers practice, but it would fit perfectly into reunion. If you know of some vided for anyone who is not able on our parade entry most of the major religions of the world, which all teach love for one who may not know about to walk from the band room to 3.00. Homecoming parade your fellow human being.

The general election is getting closer and closer. November 5th is just around the corner. We urge citizens to get serious about the candidates and decide which one is best for Alabama and/or the nation. Official sample ballots are now available. You can get one at the courthouse, at our office and a number of other places. around the county. At The Elba Clipper we even offer opinions on which candidates to support, opinions which, alas aren't always accepted by those hearing them. Voters need to also rememberthere are four constitutional amendments on this ballot also. It will take a few minutes to fully understand what each one is pertaining to and how it affects each voter, but this needs to be done.

Many Elba voters who plan to vote in the upcoming Wet-Dry ref- 2002, investigated the follow- Coffee County EMS dispatched erendum on November 5th are still confused over the procedure ing incidents; one leaving the to 1625 Caroline St. (6:28 a.m.). for the day. The Wet-Dry vote is strictly a City of Elba vote and is scene, one damage to property. Routine activity. not on the same ballot with any of the other issues. In fact to vote three for theft of property, one on this matter, Elba citizens must all go to the Rec Center on trespassing; one death, four for THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10 -Claxton Ave, regardless of where they are voting on the political burglary, one unlawful breaking. Prowler reported at 14055 Hwy. offices and amendments. This means that Elba citizens who are and entering of a motor vehicle. 84 E (3:53 a.m.). River stage voting at the National Guard Armory as well as those who vote at one threatened suicide, one 4.98 feet (6.00 a.m.); Coffee Mulberry Heights School in the General Election must then get in assault, one domestic violence. County EMS dispatched to their vehicle and drive to the Rec Center to vote on the Wet-Dry and one felony transport of Private Rd. 1506 (10/36 a.m.); issue. State law clearly states that such a vote will be cast in the alcohol. same place other such votes pertaining just to the city are held. The following arrests were on the 203 bypass before Smith and that is the Rec Center. It will be confusing and there will be made; two for assault, one for Ave. (5:04 p.m.); Coffee County some tempers flaring, but the law is the law. The worst side effect - criminal mischief and one for - EMS dispatched to the wreck on of this particular issue is the many voters who will just throw up felony transport of alcohol the bypass (5:10 p.m.); Reports their hands and not vote on the issue at all

#### ESJC offering Excell Level three for speeding, two for no Il workshop in November

of Level 1. You'll become deadline is November 5. The the week were as follows: software in this course. It is Tuesday and Thursday. not required to have completed. November 12 & 14, 5:30-7:30. a.m.); Routine activity. Level 1 prior to this course; p.m. For more information, cal however, you should have 334-393-ESJC, ext. 234.

#### **ELBA GENERAL HOSPITAL REPORT**

Daniels and Ashley Chandler. Mildred Williams.

Elba General Hospital had the Persons discharged during the 2002, through October 13, 2002. Wood, Nettie Hudson, Chris They were: James Bryan, Tony Hudson, Clifford Blue, Keon Shiver, Ashley Bolding, Anna Hill, Ryan Hartman, Kyle Burrows, Kyle Hartman, Ryan Hartman, Tony Shiver, Anna Hartman, Mary Crandell, Burrows, Sherry Moore, Hillary Wayne Swain, Hillary Davis, Davis, Kristy Ward, Mary James Smith, Alexis Tillis, Crandell, James Bryan, Wayne Mildred Williams, Matthew Swain, Alexis Tillis, Matthew Curran, Kristy Ward, Yvonne Curran, James Smith and

LUNCH

#### Elba Elementary School Menu Oct. 21 - 25, 2002

PHENIU PIE	в
Monday - Cheese	
Sandwich, 1/2 Orange,	(
Cereal, Juice, Milk	1
Tuesday - Breakfast Stick,	F
Syrup, Cereal, Juice, Milk	7
Wednesday - Biscuit &	F
Jelly, Sausage, Cereal,	(
Juice, Milk	
Thursday - Scrambled	h

BREAKFAST

ounds, California Style Vegetables hocolate Cake, Milk hursday - Country Fried Steak shed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Blackeye Eggs, Toast & Jelly, Cereal, Peas, Roll, 1/2 Orange, Milk Friday - Hoagie, French Fries Friday - Cheese Grits, Toast | Lettuce, Tomato, Dill Pickles, 1/ & Jelly, Cereal, Juice, Milk | Apple, Milk

Corn, Pear Half, Milk

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Frequently asked questions about the Elba High School band reunion by Lynn Hudson Baker • Are we playing instruments? • Will we get to see the high it at this time.

• What is the dress? The dress will be casual. Not exactly. If you can still school bandroom?

the activities, please call them. the stadium. The earliest band. 5:00-7:00 Reception and University drum major, Ronnie • I did not stay in the band members will be honored during time of fellowship at the Elba Mallory All former drain until I graduated. Am I invited? the pre-game activities. ... Elementary School Band Room.

for anyone who participated at do? any time in the band program. All drum majors who are Footage of band shows from Immediately following the to direct the band.

## Elba Police Report

the week were as follows: one being discharged on Martin for violation of the seat belt law. Luther King Dr. (11:33 p.m.).

more proficient in using the workshop is scheduled for MONDAY, OCPOBER 7

following patients admitted dur- same time period were: Charles WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 9 Civil disturbance (fighting)

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•GRIEF SUPPORT GROUP-ever Aonday 6:30 p.m. Elba Unit Methodist Church-enter on side on W · COFFEE COUNTY COMMIS SION -2nd & 4th Monday ommunity Room in Farm Cent . LIONS CLUB - 2nd & 4th Tues 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizen Center
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\* ELBA AIRPORT AUTHORITY nd Thursday at noon, Driscoll Hanger \* AARP meets every 3rd Tuesday night of the month \*ELBA ATHLETIC CLUB - 1st & d Monday - 7 p.m. - Elba High boys

NEW SEASONS STUDY CLUB -

ery 3rd Tuesday at 7 p.m.

The Elba Police Department. Caroline St. (2:02 a.m.); River beginning Monday, Oct. 7, stage - 3.43 feet (6:08 a.m.):

Traffic citations issued during of fighting, drinking and a gun

proof of insurance, one switched FRIDAY, OCTOBER 11

River stage 5.88 feet (6:16 SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12) Loud noises (possibly a gun being discharged) on TUESDAY, OCTOBER 8 Washington Ave. (12:34 a,m.): River stage 4.83 feet (6:19 River stage - 5.02 feet (6:18 there weren't a few unexpected adventures involved? patched to the Coffee County reported at 723 Williams Ave. EMS dispatched to an accident on County Rd. 410 (12:42 p.m.); ing the time period of October 7. Cole, Patricia Smith, Pauline Prowler reported at 1229 reported at Burch's Trailer Court (8:37 p.m.); Disturbance eported at 625 Reynolds St.

> 11:48 p.m.). SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13 Disturbance reported at 625 Reynolds St. (12:08 a.m.); River tage - 4.60 feet (6:05 a.m.); Vlarm activated at 1888 Martin Luther King Dr. (12:28 p.m.); Coffee County EMS dispatched 1584 Caroline St. (4:27 p.m.); outine activity.

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. Who will be riding in the play the "fight song" and want. Yes. We will go to the high sentation of the EHS to, you may play with the band school bandroom with the cur- Homecoming Court; Member of The band members from the at the end of their show. rent band members immediately the 1942 band will be honored.

> List of Activities for Friday, Oct. 18, 2002

Absolutely. This reunion is . What will the drum majors . Old band memorability and the band as they play in the interested will get their chance the 1970s to present will be seen game, former, band members

Any member who has an School's most beloved tradinstrument to donate will bring tions.

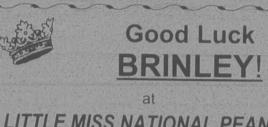


by Linda Hodge, Editor

I had the pleasure of traveling with the Elba High School Marching Tiger Band to the contest in Brewton last weekend, and I must say tag, six for no insurance, four. One-vehicle accident reported also made the lengthy trip. It's a given that the majority of the supfor driving with no driver's on Old Samson Rd. (1:48 a.m.); porters were parents, but I do believe the non-parent crowd was license, one for driving with a Coffee County EMS dispatched larger than I have ever noticed at a band contest. My guess is that Enterprise State Junior some knowledge of Excel, suspended driver's license and to the accident on Old Samson you can attribute it to the hard work the band members put forth day College's special interest. You must bring a 3 1/2" disc. one for driving without first workshop. Microsoft ExcelWorkshop. Microsoft ExcelThere is a \$35.00 fee for the obtaining a driver's license:

Rd. (1.57 a.m.), River stage
3.67 feet (6.11 a.m.).

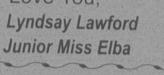
Elba have taken notice to the great job they are doing as representaa blistering afternoon sun was the same one that went running for riding home in soaked clothing. Hey, how would any trip be fun it



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beer joint, or alcohol retail sales \$21,567 a year? Then vote for Representative Terry Spicer, across the street from your. Bob Riley. Do you want them Senator Jimmy Holley, and home church, or child care cen- to make closer to \$37,071 a PATRICIA ANN RICHARDS Roy Fuller and Greg Hanchey Culver, Dalkeith, FL; her mothbeen very supportive of Dorsey will not have alcohol sales on choice: Don Siegelman. Trailer Company and Coffee Sunday, think again. It hap- Eddie Burke County' from the time we pened in one Alabama commu- 41 3rd Street SW arrived in Elba and made the nity recently without a local Sylvania, AL 35988 decision to purchase Dorsey and vote. If you think we will have reopen the plant. Their first control over the granting of Dear Editor:

set up meetings with various years ago, "It's time for Elba to time, anywhere." to Elba a smooth and successful things must a community intro-debates.

to work with the local officials, time. Fewer states each year are town voters, all before 1996. five grandchildren. coming from California where without gambling to fund their. The Riley Promise: I will meeting set up or a decision town left in the nation. I think aire's fund-raiser

expanded 4-lane road will allow and will not be good for Elba never embarrass you." less costly access to Elba to pick Elba Dry. up their trailers; and will enable Sincerely, with our vendors that deliver the 135 Rainbow Drive raw materials to build the trail- Elba, Alabama 36323 ers. More orders for Dorsey 334-897-6056

Trailers equals more jobs for the residents of Coffee County. Dear Editor: structure we found upon arriv- \$30,090. (These numbers are successes along the way, the Funeral services were held Coffee County and in fact all of Labor website.

Chriss Street Chief Executive Officer Tosha Dolan Chief Financial Officer

Elba, AL

**Dorsey Trailers** 

Dear Linda: I'm writing in reference to the all funding. it has been a real blessing get- makes in hi-tech Madison. ting to know people from across County. our community. We're a diverse If you want good jobs, you group, but all share a common have to pay for good who are voting this year for true goal of wanting to keep alcohol schools Bob Riley's vision for change. VOTE BOB RILEY sales out of Elba.

As a Christian, I oppose alco- low wages for the working help put an end to "business as hol on moral grounds. It is a people, while a few fat cats like usual" in Montgomery. After all, harmful and addictive drug, and him live high on the hog. Don why would any of us want to alters behavior. It can con- Siegelman's vision is an reward what we've had to tribute to broken marriages. and death or injury through automobile accidents. As a Christian, I cannot support making it more readily available to do not feel that our community or our schools should attempt to and a grandchildren making Tuscaloosa, Alabama prosper from alcohol tax revenue. I just don't see how any good comes from the use or sale

of alcohol. If we vote to legalize alcohol sales, it will change the com- HALL FAMILY from folks in other Wet towns. If and most of all, Prayers.

you think there will never be a Brenda and John Foreman Three Poll Worker Schools are planned for Coffee County

Poll Worker Training to be •Monday Oct 28, 2002 6:30

Inspectors School New NELLIE MADDOX. Brockton Community Room Tuesday Oct 29, 2002 6:30 Poll Worker Training Enterprise City Hall Council

Chambers

2002 6:30 p.m. \*

Poll Worker Training

•Wednesday October 30,

ply being t here. Coffee Co Courthouse Elba

G.W. Richards Sylvia and Kim Blue Danny Richards and Family

one for the food, visits, phone Bell, Elba, wish to thank all our 'calls, prayers, and the many acts friends and relatives for their of kindness shown to us during many kind expressions of sym-JIMMY MADDOX great - grandmother. Your love appreciated. Please continue to have you in our prayers always. Mrs. Jerry L. Bell and family,

## Obituaries

Governor Don Siegelman have ter, think again. If you think we year? Then you have one Mrs. Patricia Ann Richards, officiating. Burial followed in er: Mae Byrd Jenkins, Dalkeith, Elba, AL., died Oct. 9, 2002 at Elba.

Survivors include two sons

Heights, TX; three grandsons:

Tim Free and Chris Free, both of

Kinston, AL: and Tom Free.

Harker Heights, TX; one grand-

daughter: Felicia Ayala,

Killeen, TX; 10 great-grandchil-

Oct. 16, 2002 from the Chapel

with Ministers George Herring.

Oct. 11, 2002 at the Praise and Jackson Young. question to us was, and contin- liquor licenses, think again. Bob Riley wants us to vote for Brockton with Rev. Betty Sue Joseph A. Young, Elba, Jacky Jenkins Sr., Taylor Jenkins ues to be, "What can we do to Rarely is an applicant turned him based on the issue of Morris officiating. Burial fol- and wife Linda Young, Ozark; (Sally), both of Port St. Joe, FL., "integrity." So, let's look at his lowed in Shiloh Baptist Church one sister: Elizabeth Powell, Jerome Jenkins (Sylvia), informed us of all the programs Some have commented during record in that department. Cemetery with Hayes Funeral Florala, AL; one grandchild and Panama City, FL; six sisters-inand incentives that are available ing this Wet/Dry debate, and The Riley Promise: "I will Home of Elba directing. two great-grandchildren. through the state of Alabama, when the issue arose several debate Don Siegelman, any- Survivors include her hus-

state agencies and intervened on get progressive." My response The Riley Performance: Riley son: Danny Richards, Troy; two CULVER our behalf to make the transition to that is. How many bad would only agree to two daughters: Sylvia Blue and Mrs. Willie Mary Jenkins Culver and Janice Cole move. Each of these officials, duce to be considered progres. The Riley Promise: "I was in her mother; Fannie Merle died Oct. 7, 2002. has telephoned and/or personal sive: Alcohol, Drugs, Gambling, business for 35 years before I Berry, Elba; four brothers: Funeral services were held ly visited our Elba facility on more than one occasion to be afe, morally good environment and one occasion to be afe, morally good environment and one occasion to be afe, morally good environment and one occasion to be afe, morally good environment and occasion to be affected and occasion to be after the property of the property sure we were getting everything in which to live, work and raise was on the Ashland City both of Elba, Jackie Levelle Brad Johnson and Elder Jessie needed to be a successful our children is considered non- Council in the 1970's He also Berry, Freeport, AL.; two sis- Hawkins officiating, Burial folprogressive, then I guess I'll be ran for mayor of Ashland, and ters Diane Walden and Rhonda lowed in Buckhorn Cemetery We appreciate how easy it is voting non-progressive every was rejected by his own home. Gail Morris, both of Elba, and with Peoples Funeral Home of

everything is so hard. It was budgets, and fewer towns release the names of the donors CHARLIE FREE refreshing to come to Elba and remain alcohol free. If Elba, who gave \$50,000 to have their Mr. Charlie Free, age 91, of FL; one daughter: Marquita be able to get a call returned, a Alabama, is the only "Dry," pictures taken at my million- 259 County Road 496, Elba, AL, died Oct. 11, 2002 at Opp made easily. All this regardless that would be a wonderful testi- The Riley Performance: Riley Nursing Home. of how busy these various state mony to our values, beliefs, and did not release any of the names. Funeral services were held and local officials might have concern for each other. when promised, and still has not Oct. 14, 2002 from the Chapel I urge your readers to vote a stated that the names he released of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba

The expansion of Route 84 is "No" to alcohol sales is Elba, are all of the donors. He contin- with Rev. John Freeman and another important way our pre- and let's keep our great small ues to hide behind a Washington Rev. Sam Totten officiating. sent government officials have town atmosphere with all the money-laundering committee. Burial followed in New Home contributed to the success of the advantages it affords. Alcohol The Riley Promise: "I will Cemetery, Elba, with Hayes new Dorsey Trailers. The has never solved a problem yet, always tell you the truth and Funeral Home directing. potential customers speedier, now I pray we will vote to Keep The Riley Performance: Riley and daughters-in-law: Charles hed. We are embarrassed. E. and Josie Free, Elba; Owen T. I intend to vote for Don and Jeanette Free, Harker Siegelman on November 5th.

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bler beats himself.

And yet, the opportunity "to

beat ourselves" - indeed, the

chance to do so for a second

time - is precisely what Don

Siegelman is offering the people

of Alabama. How many times

do we have to come away empty

handed and disappointed to

is a very bad bet? He has had

four years to keep his promises,

and he simply has not done so.

Now, he's asking for "just one

more chance" to get things right

One more roll of the dice. It

back-room deals and the old-

boy network, join the hundreds

Robin Stalvey

Dorsey has steadily expanded Bob Riley is from Ashland, in Dear Editor: to 200 employees, many of Clay County. His multi-million- "Nick the Greek" Dandalos is grandchildren. whom are residents of Elba or dollar businesses there are quoted as having said: "The Coffee County. This was made among the biggest employers in house doesn't beat the player. It WOODROW "NED" YOUNG possible, or at least made much town. It may be no coincidence just gives him the opportunity to Mr. Woodrow 'Ned' Young, easier, by the full cooperation, that the average annual pay in beat himself." The concept is age 90, of 855 Washington Ave., expertise and dedicated work of Clay County is \$21,567, well simple enough. In the long run, Elba, AL, died Oct. 13, 2002 at the very "pro jobs" government below the state average of even if there "seem" to be a few the Elba Nursing Home.

Alahama are indead fortunate to There is nothing wrong with have such dedicated public ser- hard, or even dirty work However, Bob Riley seems to think that a whole Alabama of Clay Counties is fine with him. making out of state corporations Congressman, he has a solid

upcoming Wet/Dry referendum Education is the difference facing our town. As you know, between the \$21,567 an average I've been working with the Clay County worker makes, and Keep Elba Dry Committee, and the \$37,071 the average worker

> Alabama is that of Clay County FOR GOVERNOR and you can Alabama where good schools endure for these last four years? attract businesses like What will a vote for Don Mercedes, Honda, and Hyundai. Siegelman get us? Four more These businesses will raise the years of failure.

average worker's pay in Do you want your children Justice D. Smyth, III

## RD OF THAN

where it is sold. I have been dis- love shown at their death and Praise and Glory Worship turbed to learn the reality of this through the calls, cards, food Center. Jay Foreman Loigh, Chad and Logan Sheena Richards

MADDOX FAMILY

RICHARDS FAMILY The family of PATRICIA

RICHARDS would like to thank each person that responded to our loss with flowers, We would also like to thank

plexion of our town. If we vote The family of O.V. and Louise Hospital staff, Elba Police "Wet", state laws will take effect. Hall would like to express their. Department, Coffee County and govern what is sold and appreciation for the concern and EMS, Pastor Betty Sue Morris

BELL FAMILY We would like to thank every- We the family of Essie O. the loss of our loved one MRS. pathy during the loss of our precious mother, grandmother, and 10-17-1tc and compassion is very much pray for us, and we will also George R. Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bell and family, Mr. and cards, food, prayers and by sim- and Margaret Marsocci and

age 55, of 1625 Caroline Street Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, FL; five sisters: Voncile Tida Elba General Hospital. Mr. Young was preceded in Dean Brundidge, all of Troy,

Funeral services were held death by his wife, Lois Ellarene Mary Brundidge, Thomasville, Glory Worship Center in New Survivors include two sons: Ind.; three brothers: Johnny

band G.W. Richards, Elba; one WILLIE MARY JENKINS Ford (Clifton), both of New Sheena Richards, both of Elba; Culver, age 49, of Dalkeith, FL, (Danny), all of Elba, AL.

Marianna, FL. directing.

Survivors include her husband: Chris Culver, Dalkeith,

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#### IN LOVING **MEMORY OF** CHARLIE JOSEPH FREE

June 26, 1911 October 11, 2002

Dear Uncle Charlie.

You filled our lives with such love, kindness and caring. It will be hard when we think of you for the tears not to come. Your home was a loving and fun place to be. You loved and cared for your family, but you always had room to reach out to others. God knew I still need Grandpa, so God gave me you. On Friday, I lost much more than a Great-Uncle. God has made the family strong and we will take all the things you taught us and pass it on. I will preserve our family's history you shared with me. I pray for people to love to visit me the way I loved to visit you. I will always love and miss you. Give all those special people in heaven my love. We will all be together

> Love Pat

Charlie was the youngest child of John Thomas and Martha Elva (Bradley) Free's, 9 children. He was the oldest member of the Basin Baptist Church. On August 26, 1933 Charlie married Berth Ellen Parker and they made their home in the Basin Community. They had two sons, Owen Thomas Free of Texas and Charles Edward Free of Elba, Alabama. Charlie retired from the Coffee Co. Hwy. Dept. with 38 years of service.

## CHURCH & AREA NEWS

#### Revival Services planned at Flu vaccine to be given at Coffee Haw Hill Assembly of God

Haw Hill Assembly of God October 30 - November 3 at Alabama will be administering months of age and older who (Hwy 125, 12 miles South of 7:00 p.m. The evangelist will be influenza vaccine in special have required regular medical Brundidge) will hold a revival Rev. Mann Kirkland.

New Hope Baptist Church sets

Gospel singing will begin at the morning service

10:00 a.m., Morning Worship

New Hope Baptist Church will begin at 11:00 a.m. The will celebrate homecoming on speaker will be Rev. J.C. Turner vaccinated first Sunday, October 27, 2002, Acovered dish lunch will follow

Shiloh Baptist Church to host Gospel Singing on October 19 because immunity declines in are receiving the year following vaccination," therapy

Zion Chapel Baptist Church to celebrate year are A/Panama. A New influenza to those at risk include Sara Stoudemire October 19 in Glenwood, Ala will celebrate

Homecoming Sunday, October 27 Zion Chapel Baptist Church Brother Mark Griffin as guest will celebrate homecoming on speaker a covered dish lunch in Alabama as well as the United chronic care facilities; and on Saturday, October 19, 2002. Today is a good day, be grate

Homecoming planned at First Assembly high. On average, 20,000 people Beginning Nov. 1. county Brittany Daniels graduates from of God for Sunday, October 20

vice will be at 11:00 a.m. with in the afternoon.

First Assembly of God. Elba Superintendent of the Alabama ciated with influenza. sons who wish to reduce the Brittany D Daniels has grad-potential, build self-confidence will celebrate homecoming on Assemblies of God. Lunch will Persons 65 years of age and likelihood of becoming ill from uated from the Army ROTC and develop initiative through October 20, 2002. Morning begin around noon, Don Garrett older, regardless of health sta- influenza and are not in one of (Reserve Officer Training hands-on learning, allowing the worship with Rev. Billy J. and Southern Harmony will be tus, are among the groups tar- the high risk categories. Annual Corps) Leader's Training Army to observe and evaluate Glover begins at 10:30 a.m. singing around 1:30 p.m. geted to receive influenza vac-vaccination against influenza is Course at Fort Knox, Ky. the cadets' officer potential and

ATTEND A CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE THIS SUNDAY!

## County Health Department

County health departments in \*Adults and children 6 clinics being held from October follow-up or hospitalization last through the end of influenza year because of chronic metaseason in Alabama. The month bolic diseases (including dia Scripture: Romans 6:17-23 Featuring Perfect Homecoming for Sunday, October 27 of October has been set aside for betes) those at highest risk for compli- \*Persons with kidney dys- \*\*\*Thinking of you, praying for Washington and the New

cations from influenza to be function, hemoglobinopathies or you. The Holly and Culver fam- Singing Stars, Atlanta, Ga., and "Although the current immune system problems and Linzey Manning, Leonard Birmingham, Ala For more influenza vaccine can contain caused by medicine or by infec- McBride, Ruth Belcher, Lizzie information call Annie Pearl one or more of the antigens, tion with human immunodefi- Tyson, Lovie Hooks, Johnnie Jarrett - (334)493-0048 or, administered in previous years, ciency virus [HIV/AIDS]). Ruth Belcher, Raymond Waters, Cindy Bass (334)858-6764. annual vaccination with the cur- \*Children and teenagers (6 Henry Waters, Versie Barnes \*\*\*Goshen First Baptist Church rent vaccine is necessary months to 18 years of age) who and Leo Henderson.

influenza vaccine has increased centers, nursing homes and 502 North Maloy Street in Opp. p.m. States in recent years, immu- providers of home care to per. Doors open at 6:00 p.m. The ful! nization rates for influenza sons at risk and household mem program starts at 7:00 p.m.

October 27, 2002. Worship ser- will be held at 12:30 and singing remain low, and illness and bers of persons in high risk death from the disease remain groups, die each year in the United health departments will begin

chronic disorders of the pul-immunizations after Nov. 1.

while supplies last. Influenza Card of Thanks October 21, 2002 8:00 am

Thank you for your many expressions of love and October 28, 2002 8:00 am • 4:00 pm \*\*\*Coffee Co. Health Dept November 4, 2002 8:00 am

• 4:00 pm · starting in October • \*\*\*Work-in days in December **ROUND & ABOUT** WITH ERIA 897-2006

immunosuppression (including ilies, Della Magwood, Evelyn God's Chosen Ones,

because immunity declines in are receiving long-term aspirin. \*\*\*October Birthdays: A.Z. 24th Usher's Anniversary on Stoudamire October 16, Sunday, October 20, 2002 at said Valerie Cochran, director of ... Women who will be in the Barbara Tillis October 17, 2.00 p.m. The guest minister Shiloh Baptist Church will group will be Day Star, the Policy, Epidemiology and second or third trimester of Barbara Smith. October 17, will be Rev. Nathaniel Fleming. hold a singing on October 19. Everyone is invited to attend. Education Branch of the pregnancy during the influenza. Tonya Smith. October 21. pastor of Oak Grove Baptist Jason Gulley - October 22, Church. components of the vaccine this Persons who can transmit Quinton Smith October 31 and \*\*\*Friendship Baptist Church Caledonia and B/Hong Kong. ing physicians, nurses, employ \*\*\*Fall Gospel Explosion will their 139th Church Anniversary

Even though the use of ees of hospitals, outpatient care be held at the Opp High School, on October 27, 2002 at 2:30

M.O.G., Cuthbert, Ga., Karen

# States from complications asso- administering vaccine to per. Army ROTC recently

cine. Others who should be also recommended for all per immunized during October are sons 50 and older, and vaccina world class leadership develop.

She is the granddaughter of the period of the per

•Residents of nursing homes tion is encouraged for healthy ment experience that qualifies Annie P and R.C. Carpenter of and other chronic-care facilities children aged .6-23 months to and motivates ROTC cadets for Highway 125, Elba, Ala. that house persons of any age reduce their risk of influenza-enrollment in the Senior ROTC. The cadet is a 2002 graduate with chronic medical conditions related hospitalization. Persons Advanced Course at their host of Elba High School. Daniels is •Adults and children 6 in these groups are especially college campuses. The course is attending the Marion Military months of age and older with encouraged to receive influenza designed to improve leadership Institute, Ala.

> **Dyess Music Center** will host a special presentation of the

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Roland Corporation will present Seth Rye, voted "The Most Popular Organist in America" in a popularity poll held by "Keyboard World Magazine". Mr. Rye has over 20 years of experience as a touring con-

cert artist traveling world wide. He has produced more than 25 albums and is the featured artist on the "Disney Magic" album. The presentation will begin at 7 p.m. with no admission fee. Reserved seating only, due to limited seating. influenza, the health department | Please call Dyess Music Center for your reservations, 493-7413. All pianist and organist are encouraged to attend.

or, a personal physician.

| ELBA UNITED METHODIST | E. B. BIII, Milaster | Sunday School. | 10:00 a.m. | Mor. Worship. | 12:00 a. 

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kindness shown to us

during the death of our loved one

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May God richly bless you is our prayer.

Ferrin & Heddy Cox

Sunday School, 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH ELBA CHURCH OF GOD

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# LIFESTYLES

New

of Louise Cox

The children of the late Matt

Miss Davis and Mr. Goodson to be united in marriage Saturday, November 16



Miss Davis & Mr. Goodson

retary. (Not shown are Joan Lewis, historian; and Jan Moore, chaplain.)

Enterprise State Junior College ed to Mrs. Mary Merritt.

Bradley's Horist &

Renae Nicholson & Ken Motzenbecker

Laura Hall & Jimmy Smith

Clyde L Sadie —

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be held October 19

theme is Fighting For Our

are: L-R: Marcia Abererombie, president, Harriet Glenn, vice president. Sharon Walker, recording sec-

ADC Annual Awards Banquet to | Harvest Festival |

held on Saturday, October 19, Fleming, and the Profile in 19 in the town's Memorial 2002, at 7:00 p.m. at the Courage award will be present. Park beginning at 8 a.m.

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Teresa Boykin and Ray Davis . announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Amanda Carol Davis, LAUREN KRISTEN to William Brent Goodson, son HALEY of Janice Kelley and Jack

The bride-elect is the grand- announce the birth of their daughter of Roger and Peggy daughter, Lauren Kristen Haley. Howell of New Brockton, Ala : born August 1, 2002. Lauren

Brockton High School and Lauren was welcomed home by attended Troy State University her sister, Lindsay

The future groom is the Johnson Reunion grandson of Jeanette Norris and Ernest Norris of Opp. Ala.; and held at the home

State University in Troy, Ala. of Louise Cox on October 12-Cox. Arkie Hodge, Mary Hodge.

planned at new

Brockton

Performers will be Crimson

sidewalks in the town. Quarterly District

Legion to be held

discussion, officers for 2002-

Plans of action were suggested as ideas were presented from the group. The next meeting will

be on Tuesday, November 5 at 7:00. Final plans for the annual Christmas party will be made. The Installation for the new

officers was held with Joyce

Austin officiating. Those elected

were: President, Nadine Fuller;

Vice-President, Thelma Hudson;

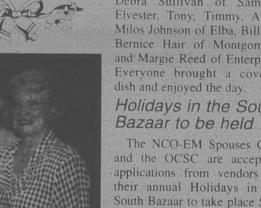
Secretary-Treasurer, Syble

Hahn; and Chaplain, Faye Kyle.

2003 were elected.

trict officers.

New Brockton will host a



South Bazaar to take place Sat., November 16, 9-4 at Yano Hall bldg. 6005 Andrews Ave. Ft.

application call Velma Bastin until 4 on Saturday afternoon at extended to family and f riends 774-4074 or Hannelore Wood the American Legion Center on



Mr. & Mrs. William King

## He is a 1993 graduate of Elba and Idell Johnson celebrated High School and attended Troy their yearly reunion at the home King-Corley wedding Those present were Louise held August 16

all of Elba, Daisy Lawson of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Corley of she graduated with honors. She Home Baptist Church, A reception Enterprise, Mabel and Frank Elba announce the marriage of is currently employed with a tion will follow at Tartan Pines Bryant and Teddie Bryant. Sue, their daughter, Cassandra national firm ats the Senior David and Chad all of Winter (Casey) to Mr. William (Bill) Program Manager of Aviation Garden, Fla. Eddie Bryant and King, son of Mrs. Mary J. King and Engineering Services Debra Sullivan of Samson, and the late Thomas King of Fort Worth, Texas Elvester, Tony, Timmy, Anita, Scottdale, Ga.

Milos Johnson of Elba, Bill and Bill and Casey were married President of Busines Bernice Hair of Montgomery, on August 16, in a private cere- Development with the sar and Margie Reed of Enterprise, mony in Fort Worth, Texas. The firm in Fort Worth, Texas. veryone brought a covered couple enjoyed an extended. The couple's primary redish and enjoyed the day, honeymoon cruise to the dence is in Fort Worth, Texas Holidays in the South Bahamas, US Virgin Islands and They also have a farm located Puerto Rico.

Casey recently received her they spend as much time as pos The NCO-EM Spouses Club MBA from Embry Riddle sible and the OCSC are accepting. Aeronautical University where

heir annual Holidays in the Rev. & Mrs. J.L. Edgar to be honored with a 60th wedding anniversary reception

Reverend and Mrs. J.L. Edgar Highway 87 m Elba. The co will be honored on October 26. ple's 60th anniversary date w.

near Warner Robins. Ga where

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Editor: Sheena Flowers

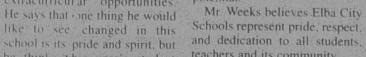
#### **Administration Spotlight**

by Meredith English

I had the pleasure of talking with Mr. Danny Weeks and finding out a little about his back-

Mr. Weeks was born in Opp. Alabama, in the year 1957. He grew up in both Kinston and Opp and has worked as a teacher, a coach, assistant priniple, principal, and for the paryears, superintendent. He na worked at Cieneva County

he attended, Mr. Weeks says that nore courses, technology and body has excellent leadership xtracurricular opportunities potential. he thinks this year's student teachers and its community.



EHS Parents Day set for Oct. 29

his/her child. During school 897-2266. EHS faculty encour-

y Krici Grantham

schedule meetings during each teacher's separate planning peri-On Tues day, Oct. 29, Elba od. EHS Ambassadors will be High Scho of faculty will recog- on hand to conduct tours. All parents who participate in this From 8 a.m. until 6 p.m., fac- forthcoming event will be eligiulty members will be available ble for door prizes. To schedule to all pairents who want to a conference with your child's chedule a meeting concerning teacher, call Elba High School at nours, p arents are asked to ages all parents to get involved.

Sr. Beta selects 2002-03 officers



by Sheena Flowers

Sr. Beta is of to a fresh start this year. During the first meeting of the 2002-2003 Sr. Beta club, the members discussed upcoming service projects, member responsibilities and other activities.

They also elected officers for the new year as follows: (front) President - Heather Hays and Vice President - Samantha Williams; (back) Secretary - DeAnn Smith, Historian - Richard Myers and Treasurer - Courtney Pelham

The Sr. Beta club represents the some of the brightest and most respected students of Elba High School. We are very proud of them and wish them lots of success.

#### Cal Donnia Howard gets Mrs. Norris's English class. I I hope that we will one day win loves to have fun. outstanding teacher award by Brittany Cooper

On behalf of the Coffee/Geneva Area Committee Employment of People with Disabilities, Teresa Holmes, the employment development coordinator, recently announced that Mrs. Cal Donnia Howard had been selected to receive the Educatorof-the-Year Coffee County

Award. Howard was presented a plaque from the Governor's office at Enterprise City Hall, Tuesday,



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## Elba preparing for Homecoming 2002 on Friday

by Blake Brunson

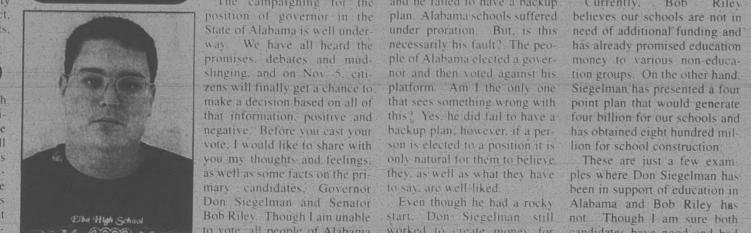
Homecoming is a time of cliving memories with old friends and classmates. It is a day full of celebration and felowship for all ages.

Homecoming 2002 will be

riday, Oct. 18 and begins with the coronation of the homeoming queen and presentation f her court. This will take: lace in the stadium at the high chool at 9:45 a.m. Following oronation, the band will perorm and the cheerleaders will

ear class reunion. The class embers will be honored at School. They will also be ELBA HIGH SCHOOL'S HOMECOMING QUEEN AND COURT... This year's Homecoming nvited to ride on a float in the Queen is Samantha Williams (center). Her court is as follows: 11th grade attendant. Ayonna Proctor, omecoming parade, which 12th grade attendant Heather Hays, 10th grade attendant. Rebecca English and 9th grade attendant vill begin at 3 p.m. as usual. Arrian Bowers Evening festivities will begin at 7:15 p.m. at the Elba presentation of the Queen and Everyone is encouraged to ... The Homecoming Dance High School stadium with the her court. Kickoff against the attend the game and support immediately follows the game.





by Shawna Hill

This week's spotlight focuses To begin with. I will reflect Alabama schools. During this gram in Alabama, voting for on senior Chris Brunson. Chris back to the last election. Our time. Riley refused to sign a Governor Don Siegelman is the is the 17-year-old son of Greg Brunson and Jennifer Hughes Army recruiter visits Elba High and is a member of the Church

tion at Kleinert's and is a member of FFA. His hobbies include. Sergeant Shannon E. Lindsey hunting and fishing. Congratulations to Chris talk to Mrs. Weeks first and

NOTICE: FCCLA, (formally

FHA), has started the annual Ham & Turkey sale. New items this year include: Peppered Bacon, Pecan Pies & Sausage.

I am an excited girl who loves

I want us to win the game

pretend to set a perfect set.

worry about my grades not

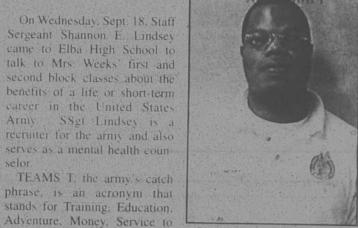
Volleyball

perfect game.

my shoulders.

I touch the clouds.

eing high enough.



Who to Choose?...A look at the governor's race

The campaigning for the and he failed to have a backup. Currently, Bob Riley

to vote, all people of Alabama, worked to create money for candidates have good and bad

will be affected by this impor- education by forcing large cor points, if you wish to see a

sition of governor in the plan Alabama schools suffered believes our schools are not in

state elected Don Siegelman 'no school cuts' pledge and

been in support of education in

Character

Trait

by Meredith English

This week at Elba High, our

word, or character trait, is cour-

tesy. This quality is one of the

harder to acquire, in my per-

sonal opinion (not that I am

Growing up with the town of

Elba, you know almost every-

one and unknowingly, most of

us do not take in consideration

Therefore, we are not really

being courteous. For example,

Enterprise if you accidentally

bump into a stranger you will

out of your way with no apolo-

Some people might naturally

promise whether you are

receiving a courteous gesture

or giving one, it will make your

governor. However, we voted instead sided with big business-

porations to pay something to prosperous educational pro-

country and Travel. SSg1 Staff Sgt. Shannon Lindsey Lindsey spoke of the rewards and honor from serving your

country and all of the advantages you are offered, such as money for college, free training.

Elba thanks Staff Sergeant being courteous. For example, at the nearest Wal-Mart in money for college, free training, school and sharing with us.

English class shares "I Am" poems with readers

areer in the United States

serves as a mental health coun-

stands for Training, Education,

Editorial by

Mary Katherine Head

nary candidates. Governor to say, are well-liked

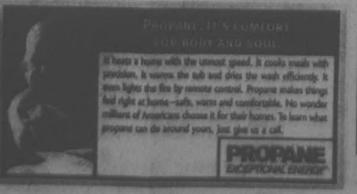
I dream of world peace Here are some more poems. I try to do everything to the best have come this far. from some perspective poets in of my ability. feel very honored to have been the state Volleyball allowed to share these with our Championships.

Elba Clipper readers for a sec- I am an excited girl who loves Volleyball - Anna Petty I am an adventurous girl that I wonder if I will ever serve a loves to have fun. I wonder what it would be like everything that I do

I see applauding people surrounding me as I land with my I feel the weight of the world on I want to be famous and a multi-I am an adventurous girl that loves to have fun.

I pretend to be walking across I am an excited girl who loves the beach under a moonlit sky. I feel the cool wind clenching I understand that there will I worry that I might not ever

reach my long-term goals.



I see the ball going over the net body thrusts to the ground.

most likely say, "Oh, I'm by Jessica Lauren Hathcock I say that everyone is equal. I cry when I think of other peopolitely forgives you. But at sorry." And the other person ple who aren't as lucky as to school, work or home if someone is in your way, and you are I am an adventurous girl that not in the best or moods, you will nudge, or even push them

> gy. We automatically assume ever be famous. they will understand. I say that if I try hard I can do be born courteous people, but I I dream one day I will have am not one of them. I am sure everything I will ever need. some of you are not either. I try to be the best I can beat Each person in our community should strive to be courteous to one another, bad day or not. I

I hear my teammates cheering to parachute from a flying plane. I hope that one day I will gradu-I hear a crashing sound as my ate from college and begin a I am an adventurous girl that loves to have fun. - Christina Bryant



THE ELBA CLIPPER + THI RSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2002

# SCHOOLS



Zion Chapel



(front) along with Jackie Cowart, Jessie Carroll and Cortney Dykes, watch the varsity cheerleaders lead a pep fally. Other junior varsity cheerleaders are Brittany Ledford, Heather Reeves, Brittany

Animal project completed by third grade students at ZCES

about animals, third grade students completed a project about their favorite animals. Students used pictures from magazines to display their avorite animals. The students also wrote a report about their favorite animals describing their looks, habitat and interesting facts. All the students did an excellent job on their projects and learned more about their favorite animals.



Zion Chapel JV cheerleaders Brittany Terry and Heather Sanders

The projects were displayed Miss Kristy Hudson's third grade class of Zion Chapel Elementary School recently participated in a science

project wherein each studentwas asked to research his/her favorite animal. Students gathered information and photos about the animal and displayed them on a poster board. The students shared what they learned in class

hortly after but there were a their before game practice. The, Trojan's One and All. When

few who were determined to hurricane, as strong as it was, half-time began Cairo's band.

Zion Chapel Rebel Band participated in TSU's Band Day 2002

ecutive year was made by the After getting permission from for all the bands scheduled to and then Troy State performed Zion Chapel Rebel Band who Mr. Bird, eight band members perform. Approximately 10 two of their songs before the

Saturday morning after everybefore, Band Director Michael Bird canceled the trip to TSU: Most of the band went home

attended TSU's Band Day in left for Troy State. Kimberly bands of the 19 still made it to mass band took over the field. McClain, Tracy Banks, Nicky Band Day to perform at half There was about 900 band "Everyone was excited about Paez. Jeremy Sanders. Jason time. The half-time perfor- members state wide that joined going to perform with Troy Sanders, Melanie Perry, Kristen mance was made up of the, in the performance. As usual State but the band room was McLendon, and Kala Bundrick musical tunes Hot Stuff, My everyone enjoyed the show as filled with disappointment joined the Slocomb band for Home's In Alabama, and they always do.

however did not destroy the fun performed as the visiting band

New Brockton School News

Uniforms...Should we enforce them?

Sponsors: Lori Cotney & Lynn Baker

Editorial by Anna Beth Sawyer

minds To me, the school system Uniforms take away individuality because they are equalizers. Nobody would be criticized about what they are wearing Inthe long run, it would be cheaper for our parents. Some people think that wearing uniforms would take away our individual-

by David Davidson

and Anthony Nevils

The results of the NBES

The president is Anna Beth

Sawyer; Vice-president is Chase

Hendrix; Treasurer is Sawyer

Each and every one of these

students promise to help the

entire school. The elections

were held on September 18. 2002 in Mrs. Colvin's old 4th

grade class. We all voted class

We all hope that they can do

Students of the Month

Travis Arrington is a sophomore at New Brockton High School.

Emily Hardiman is the daughter of Ed and Rebecca Hardiman of

Enterprise. She is a freshman at NBHS, and is involved in the

Media Club, FBLA, FCCLA, Marching and Concert Band, and Jr.

their job as they promised.

is involved in FFA at NBHS.

Whittaker; and Secretary is

Heather Hendrix

by class.

the officers are as follows:

In your thoughts and in your their fashion sense, but on our NEW BROCKTON ELEMENTARY YOUTH FOOTBALL...The Midget, Termite and Pee Wee words. Uniforms also can show day off we can wear anything football teams are supposedly going to the Super Bowl. The Midgets are 3 and 1. The Termites are also your school pride. The colors in we please. I hope that the idea of 3 and 1, but the PeeWee team is 2 and 2. New Brockton played Brantley on Oct. 6. Brantley is under many of my fellow students as your schools colors. Some reality,

> Editorial by Chelsea Dempsey & Vannessa Stuckey

individuality. Uniforms may Lady Gamecock volleyball team working hard Do you think students should wear uniforms, uniforms don't

to wear uniforms. We allow you to be yourself. I can Uniforms are plain and bor- uniforms. Don't you think that's ng. You can not express your going too far?

2002-2003 SGA officers

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make people equal but being unique is better. We can't understand why people would want to

understand a dress code, but

xceptionally hard to get the everyone. ast year, but the girls are doing has beautiful serves.

Lady Gamecock and awesome kills. Volleyball team is working hard • Renita Lawson, Senior - Junior Varsity is getting better this year to fill the shoes of the Renita is probably the most as the season passes by. Our JV

by Jeremiah Barefoot and Kyle Osborne

Brantley, the teams will play Zion Chapel. The Rebels have been defeated. The New Brockton coach

es say the Zion Chapel Rebels are a good team, but not good enough to beat New Brockton.

seniors that graduated last year, energetic team member. She has team includes Bettie Brust We have many new girls on each an awesome jump serve and Candace Dunn, Lori Wade, team - Varsity, JV, and Junior great kills. SGA officers selected at New Brockton Elementary with each game they play. Connie is an excellent setter and Donaldson, Whitney High. Each team is progressing . Connie Brown, Senior - Brittany Griswold Brittany Coach Trawick is working provides great motivation for and Hilary Mock. Their record

irls where he wants them to be. • Maressa Loman, Sophomore a glorious victory over Red Varsity lost quite a few seniors - Maressa is very energetic and Level on Tuesday. September ery well. Their record is now at . Yameka Hall, Sophomore - Junior High is doing well this -5. The following girls are Yameka is also a great setter and year also. Running a-6-2 each

nembers of the Varsity team. has demonstrated great ability game, their record right now is • Delora Moore, Senior - her first year on Varsity.

blocker and has great serves.



2002-2003 NEW BROCKTON VARSITY VOLLEYBALL ... Bottom Row (L-R) - Whitney Donaldson, Hilary Mock, Connie Brown, Delora Moore, Dawn Jerkins, Yameka Hall, Lori Wade; Top-Row (L-R) - Sheri Eaton, Candace Dunn, Renita Lawson, Brittany Donaldson, Coach Trent Trawick, Brittney Brantley, Maressa Loman, Bettie Brust and Brittney Griswold.



## THANK YOU

I would like to thank my customers of Elba and the surrounding area for allowing me to serve your banking needs at The Peoples Bank. I have enjoyed getting to know each of you He is the son of James and Wanda Arrington of Chancellor. Travis and I wish you all the best.

Sincerely, Stacey Parker



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# COMMUNITY NEWS

#### Elba Chamber of Commerce invites all to Tiger Tailgate Party Thursday, October 17

Members of the Elba sponsored in part by the enjoy a hamburger, chips and a Chamber of Commerce invite People's Bank, SouthTrust drink for \$1.00, Adults, \$3.00. everyone to join them. Bank. Kleinert's, National DJ Dolla Bill will be there to get Peoples Bank. The event, kicking off the "tiger" spirit in full effect, with a bonfire at Miller 2002 homecoming festivities, is Children and students can Memorial Stadium

to experi the Elba High School cheerlead-

TEXAS DEER HUNTING...The group of hunters captured above recently spent some time doing a . it of deer hunting at the Tall Tines Ranch in Tyler, Texas. As indicated by the picture, each came home with some pretty good results. Those pictured include. Charlie Marler with the 26 point deer he killed with a bow, Eddie Crawford with an 18 point deer. Billy Crawford with a 19 point deer (all-of-Birmingham) and Chris Ciesliga of Nashville, Tenn, with a 12 point de

"Santa Stamps" campaign begins Monday in Elba

With the holiday season right order to receive a stamp on the place receiving \$50 of the same.

around the corner, the Elba game board, the consumer must Filled eards may be turned into

Chamber of Commerce is make a \$10 (minimum) purchase the Chamber of Commerce office

encouraging local consumers to with a participating merchant (located in the old rescue squad

"Try ELBA 1st" for all their holi—The catch to the game is that the building on Yelverton St.) before

year, the Chamber of Commerce stamp per participating merchant into the Chamber of Commerce

will be sponsoring the "Santa". The goal is for the consumer to booth Nov. 30 at the Christmas

# Vote for and Elect

#### **Keith Ward**

Coffee County Board of Education DISTRICT 1 General Election Nov. 5, 2002

Elect a Student's Parent as Your Board Member Because He Will do the Best Job for ALL the Kids in District One

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#### from any participating merchant. The second prize wind more information on "Santa or at the Chamber of Commerce ner will receive \$100 worth of Stamps call the Elba Chamber office.) The merchants will be gift certificates with the third of Commerce at 897-3125. the Chamber of Commerce. The Pumpkins on the Square set

#### option of the game is to fill all squares on the game board. In for Thursday, Oct. 31 in Elba Make yourself heard, Alabama.

The deadline for registering to vote is October 25. Use this form to register or to update your voter registration, if you have moved.

State of Alabama Postcard Voter Registration Form FOR USE BY U.S. CITIZENS ONLY . FILL IN ALL BOXES ON THIS FORM! . USE INK! . DO NOT USE A PENCIL!

To register to vote in the State of Alabama, you must: You can use this form to: ▶ Be a citizen of the United States.

Register to vote in Alabama.

▶ Update your voter registration record, if you have changed your name or address.

Deadline for submitting application:

Board member

Registration and updating of voter records cuts off ten days prior to each election in Alabama.

▶ Reside in Alabama. ▶ Be at least 18 years old ▶ Have not been convicted of a felony, or if you have been convicted, you must have had your civil rights restored. ▶ Have not been declared "mentally incompetent" by a court.

Statement of U.S. Citizenship Are you a citizen of the United States? No eligible to register to vote in the State of Alabama. Social Security Number:

Social Security Number is requested, but not required, by authority of §17-4-122, Code of Alabama, 1975, for record-keeping purposes If yes, please name the city: Yes No **House Number and Street** Address where you live: (do not use post office box) State ZIP House Number and Street (or PO Box) City Address where you receive your mail:

Address where you were House Number and Street State last registered to vote: (do not use post office box) Country If you re unable to sign your name, who helped you fill out this application? Give name, address. ☐ White ☐ Black ☐ Asian ☐ American Indian roads and landmarks. and phone number (phone number is optional). ☐ Hispanic ☐ Other Female Male **REGISTRARS USE ONLY** County Pct \_ **VOTER DECLARATION - READ AND SIGN** City Pct \_\_\_ ▶ I am a U.S. citizen I SOLEMNLY SWEAR OR AFFIRM TO SUPPORT AND DEFEND THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES I live in the State of Alabama I am at least 18 years old AND THE STATE OF ALABAMA AND FURTHER DIS-DATE APPROVED . I am not barred from voting by AVOW ANY BELIEF OR AFFILIATION WITH ANY GROUP reason of a felony conviction WHICH ADVOCATES THE OVERTHROW OF THE Board member ▶ I have not been judged "mentally GOVERNMENTS OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE Incompetent" in a court of taw STATE OF ALABAMA BY UNLAWFUL MEANS AND THAT THE INFORMATION CONTAINED HEREIN IS TRUE. SO HELP ME GOD. Board member Your Signature: \_ WARNING! If you sign this statement even though you know it is untrue, you can

Questions? Call the Elections Division at 1-800-274-VOTE (1-800-274-8683) or 334-242-7210

Mail this form by October 25 to: Jim Bennett, Secretary of State, P.O. Box 5616, Montgomery, Alabama 36103

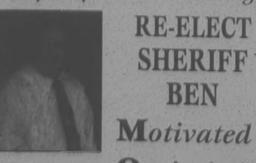
be convicted and imprisoned for up to five years.

fill the entire number of squares Testival. The drawing for the "Santa Stamps" works as fol- on the game board with a stamp - prizes will be held at 12 Noon on. lows: Consumers will receive a . Filled cards will be grouped for the square at the festival. You game board with participating prize drawings. The Grand prize must be present to win merchants listed on one side and winner will receive \$200 worth Santa Stannes (Game boards can be picked up any participating "Santa Stamp" through Saturday, Nov. 30. For Thursday, Oct. 31, from 5/30-7, candy to the children as they

Denise's, Briar Patch or Ace cessions will be available. Good Luck Brinley! Love Daddy & Brinley Williams MaMa Little Miss Elba

rick or treat around the square.

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## COMMUNITY

#### ESJC offering Toll Paintig Class for second session October 17- November 21

PlansTole and Decorative, 9:00 p.m. The registration dead- to select proper tools and mate-

Painting is such a popular spe- line is October 10. As always rials, and how to use appropricial interest course. Enterprise this course provides instruction ate brush strokes. There is a State Junior College offers it for beginners and advanced \$35.00 fee for this course. each semester. For fall semester painters. Painting will be done. Students may bring their own this course is scheduled for a with acrylics on wood or metal. supplies with them, or they may second session on Thursdays. Students will learn how to pre-purchase supplies at the first October 17-November 21, 6:00- pare a project to be painted, how class meeting. There could be a

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Porch Enclosed.. Can

COMMERCIAL PROPERTY Hwy. 231 N. of Troy. Brick, 3 B/R, 1 Bath, Den, Excellent Traffic Count, L/R - Excellent Beginner Corner Lot -- 6.7 Acres MOL -- Must See!

Show Anytime-



ow as \$30.00. If the student ould be as much as \$60.00. students must be at least twelve ears old. The class is limited to 393-ESJC, ext. 234. 1 Plans for 15th annual Christmas Festival in Elba underway the 15th Annual Christmas Festival to be held in Elba on the Saturday after Thanksgiving

on the square until 4 p.m. with the annual Christmas

diately following the parade. ommerce at 897-3125 for fur-

AARP Driver Safety MacArthur State

MacArthur State Technical College's Workforce Education Division will offer an ARP Driver Safety Program n Wednesday, October . 2002 and Thursday. October 24. 2002 from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00

\$10.00, payable to AARP.

eligible to receive a state-mandated multi-year discount on their auto insurance premiums. To sign up for the course or for more information, please contact MacArthur's Workforce Development and Continuing Education Division at (334)

being offered at ESJC Enterprise State Junior

shop, Microsoft Excel-Level 2, will be a continuation of Level You'll become more proficient in using the software in this course. It is not required to have completed Level 1 prior to this course; however, you should have some knowledge of Excel. You must bring a 3 1/2" disc. There is a \$35.00 fee for the workshop, and the registration deadline is November 5. The workshop is scheduled for Tuesday and Thursday, November 12 & 14, 5:30-7:30 p.m. For more information, call 334-393-ESJC; ext. 234.

#### New books available to be checked out at The Elba Public Library

LARGE PRINT WEST- TION

They Wore Gray

ARGE PRINT FICTION Soarks, Nicholas - Nights in

laig, Brian - Mortal Allies Wild Night Amazons | M. MacGregor Grooms

REGULAR PRINT FIC- Modern America

Nov. 30, on the historic court- Opp Fest 2002 begin at 9 a.m. and will continue to be held This year's plans are expanded to include great entertain- Saturday, October 26, 2002 vast variety of local talent.

Free entertainment includes the Mike Speck Trio and a professional laser show. There will be The evening will wrap up p.m. The memorable lighting include: L.A. Cruisers Antique ceremony will take place imme-

with the Christmas festival will Call the Elba Chamber 61 . norter registration its chamber 611 ther information:

Program scheduled at

noon each day. The AARP Driver Safety Program covers the following topics: vision and hearing changes, effects of medication, reaction time changes, left turns and other right-of-way situaions, new laws and how they affect you, and hazardous dri-

ving situations. There are no The two half-day sessions will be held on the MacArthur campus. Participants are required to attend both days to receive a certificate of completion. Cost to take the class is

Upon successful completion of the AARP Driver Safety Program, participants may be

493-3573, ext. 244. Microsoft Excell-Level 2

College's special interest work-

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Bodine, Jack - Apache Moon Roots Boggs, Johnny D. - Once Clancey, Tom - Red Rabbit Flagg, Fanny - Welcome to Garwood, Julie - Killjoy Cushman, Dan - No Gold on Hartnett, Sonya - Thursday's Hoag, Tami - Dark Horse Child Dawson, Peter - Lone Rider King, Stephen - From a Buick Gravity

First Mountain Man: Preacher Christmas Basket Kelton, Elmer - The Way of - Michaels, Fern - Kentucky McDermid, Val - The Last Overholser, Stephen Molly Morgan, Kathleen - Embrace Roberts, Nora - Hot Ice and the Confidence Man the Dawn

Pressfield, Steven - Last of the Medical Dictionary Seranella, Barbara - No Man Cookbook

Doctor

NONFICTION

Hill, Sandra - My Fair Viking Everything You Need to Barry, Dave - Dave Berry is aurens, Stephanie On a Know Before You Call the Not Making This Up Brown, Sandra - A Kis McMurtry, Larry - Sin Killer The HarperCollins Illustrated Remembered Holiday & Celebrations George, Anne - Murder

Parker, Robert B. - Shrink Rap Shoes

Evanovich, Janet - Hard Eight

Worth the Fighting For: A

Memoir — John McCain

BOOKS ON TAPE

Clark, Carol Higgins - Jinxed

The Jance, Ja. A. - Partner in

Weiner, Jennifer - In Her

BOOKS ON TAPE UNABRIDGED

ABRIDGED

Carries a Torch 2003 Taste of Home LaHaye, Tim - The Remnant Justice Hugo Black and Crossroads of Freedom

> GOOD LUCK BRINLEY!

Brinley Williams Little Miss Elba

ON THE WET-DRY REFERENDUM

# Jordan **BEFORE YOU VOTE**

Love,

• Three out of five Americans will be involved in an alcohol-related

·Someone is injured in an alcoholrelated crash every 32 seconds.

• In 1999 alone, 15,786 people were killed in alcohol-related car accidents. Of those, 2,238 were young people.

 Almost 40 percent of all traffic fatalities are alcohol related.

 Judgment is the first capacity affected by alcohol. Coordination, vision, and motor skills are drastically impaired by alcohol consumption.

 On an average weekend evening, approximately one out of every ten drivers is legally impaired or drunk. About 10,000 murders occur each year in situations involving alcohol.

 Alcohol is the number one drug of choice for teenagers.

 Alcohol-related car crashes are the number one killer of teenagers in the U.S.

 Alcohol abuse is the number one drug problem in America.

Pd. Pol. Adv. by Keep Elba Dry Committee, P.O. Box 507, Elba, AL 36323

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sons at risk and household mem- also for healthy children age 6- for a full load of 880 bags at \* Approved advertising severbers of persons in high risk 23 months to reduce their risk of \$17.40 per bag and a half load of al old maintenance inventory Beginning Nov. 1 the vaccine tion.

will be available for persons Vaccinations may be received ted a bid for a full load of 880 items are considered as junk or who wish to reduce the likeli- while supplies last until March. hood of becoming ill from the end of influenza season. influenza and are not in one of For more information about the risk categories. Annual vac- influenza, persons may contact approved by a unanimous vote. Monday, Oct. 28, 9 a.m., in the cination is also recommended the local county health depart. In other business, the commiscommunity room at the county for all persons 50 and older, and ment or personal physicians.

working in the public school State Junior College recently September 21-December

obtain an associate's degree by College to pay 75% of the 8:00-11:45 a.m.

influenza-related hospitaliza- 440 bags at \$18.25 per bag. items as one package for sale on Louisiana Vegetation submit- govdeals.com. Mobley said these bags at \$17.40 per bag and a half non-operational and need removload of 440 bags at \$18.75 per ing from inventory. The next meeting of the Coffee

Tindell's recommendation was County Commission will be complex in New Brockton.

NOTICE:

held: Monday Oct 28, 2002

Enterprise City Hall Council



presented a check in the amount of \$100 to the Coffee County Habitat for Humanity last Wednesday, Oct. 9. The money will be Tuesday Oct 29, 2002 6:30 used to help with the landscaping of the home currently being built p.m. Poll Worker Training in Elba. Presenting the check on behalf of New Seasons Study Club was vice-president Denise Sauls (left) and president Melissa Flowers (right). Board member Daniel Stephens (center) accepted Wednesday October 30, 2002 the check for the Coffee County Habitat for Humanity, and he said 6:30 p.m. Poll Worker Training the club's donation will go a long way in helping to create a pleas-Coffee Co Courthouse Elba ant atmosphere at the home, which is nearing completion.



established for to celebrate October as International Alpha Delta Kappa Month. Women educators work to promote Composition I will be offered on Paraprofessionals, anyone educational excellence, altruism and worldwide understanding. Membership in ADK is honorary, and Thursdays, September 19- admitted to ESJC may take is based on peer recognition. Local chapter meetings, district and state workshops, as well as interna-December 15 (final exam on these courses. Interested pertional conferences and conventions provide opportunities for professional growth. Alpha Delta Kappa December 12), 4:00-7:45 p.m. sons must register immediately. provides the opportunity for women educators to make a difference by combining energies and talents The third course, For more information, call 393- to enrich the lives of others through altruistic projects. For a number of years, Alabama Alpha Delta Kappa's primary altruistic project has been the St. Jude Children's Hospital. Alpha Upsilon makes a monetary donation, as well as toys and gifts to support this worthwhile project. Other local altruistic projects include a scholarship donation to Enterprise State Junior College, money for prizes to the Coffee County Arts Alliance's Piney Woods Festival, gifts to local public libraries and other projects approved by the membership. Recently, Elba Mayor James Grimes (seated) signed a proclamation providing the City of Elba's support for International Alpha Delta Kappa Month. The mayor was joined for the proclamation signing by Alpha Upsilon members Vicki Farris, Sharon Walker and Margaret

## Three courses have been Transfer or other students who scheduled for this semester have earned college credit in beginning with General English or math need not take Psychology on Tuesdays, that area of the ASSET September 17-December 3 Placement Test. (final exam on December 10), Microcomputer Applications, ESJC, ext. 273.

of Alabamians agree that newspaper ads help them find stores that have the items they want.\*

The Elba Clipper Telephone 897-2823



IT'S IN THE PAPER.



Representative Terry Spicer opposed proraion. He opposed the politicians' attempt to

Representative Spicer is fighting to pass a law to double the penalties for anyone convict- the determination to protect and advance the ed of official corruption. Spicer says ban all interests of Coffee County. In times like these, no-bid contracts that help the politically con- we need him! nected at the expense of taxpayers.

to have brought home the largest road project in Alabama history. Spicer is strong enough to But this is only part of Terry Spicer's record. protect our right to keep our guns, tough He has a plan to clean up the corruption in enough to fight the special interests and determined to fight proration.

Terry Spicer has integrity, experience, and

Let's keep Terry working for us!

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THE QUARTERLY DISTRICT MEETING of the American Legion met on Tuesday, October 1, 2002 at PoFolks in Enterprise. The Auxiliary welcomed National Past President Joyce Austin as special guest, who held the Installation for the district officers.

On Monday, October 7, 2002, auxiliary members of Culver Post #42 in Elba held a re-organizational meeting. Again National Past President Joyce Austin was present and informed the group of their rights and responsibilities as an Auxiliary group. After much discussion, officers for 2002-2003 were

Plans of action were suggested as ideas were presented from the group. The next meeting will be on Tuesday, November 5 at 7:00. Final plans for the annual Christmas party will be made. The Installation for the new officers was held with Joyce Austin officiating. Those elected were: President, Nadine Fuller; Vice-President, Thelma Hudson; Secretary-Treasurer, Syble Hahn; and Chaplain, Faye Kyle.

### Health Insurance phone survey being conducted

Some Alabama citizens can that the survey is legitimate and Williamson, State Health expect to be contacted by tele- get answers to any other ques- Officer. He further stated that phone during the months of tions they may have. October '02 - February '03 for a This survey is made possible basic health insurance coverage survey by the Alabama Health for 12 states, including data about the population will Care Insurance and Access Alabama, by a grant from the be made available on a sub-state

Health Resources and Services basis, and will assist in finding The phone calls are estimated Administration. Purpose for the out what might be done to assist include questions such as -area insurance status in order to of residency, employment, make plans to reduce the numoptions available for health ber of those uninsured.

to last about 20 minutes and will survey is to look at residents' those who are uninsured. Let us order you

"We want to better understand rubber stamp! will be surveyed, and a toll-free have health insurance to better number will be provided so that explore what options the state those who are called may verify has available," said Dr. Donald

professionals who are commit-

MacArthur's Five-Year Practical Nursing State Board pass rate highest in Alabama

A recent five-year report of Sara Goolsby attributes the yearly NCLEX pass rates indi- exemplary record to the dedicatcates that the licensure pass rate ed faculty. Monica Cauley, for practical nursing graduates Debra Clark, and Felicia of MacArthur State Technical Stallworth are full-time practi-College is higher than the state cal nursing instructors and and national average. The Bonnie Tillery is the instructionreport lists passing percentages al assistant. Part-time clinical for each year between October instructors are Gloria DeBerry, 1996, and September 30, Mary Dugan, Stephanie DuPree, 2001, for practical nursing Jill Elmore, Joan Mills, and Jan schools in Alabama. Wiggins. MacArthur's nursing program "Any successful educational maintained a five-year pass rate nursing program is definitely a of 90.83 percent compared to an team effort," Goolsby stated.

Alabama average of 81.12 per- "The nursing instructors are cent and a national average of highly competent, dedicated that our nursing program is bet- competent nurses. The program ter than most. I know our facul- is tough; but it should be. ty are talented and hard-work- Nurses are responsible for peoing," said MacArthur President ple's lives. The standards for Wayne Bennett. "Now we have this program have to be high. evidence that our program is the The faculty is to be commended best in the state. We're pleased for maintaining those high stan-

"I've believed for a long time ted to our students becoming but not surprised." Health Sciences Chairperson

Vote to Re-Elect CHARLES WALKER

I offer my thanks to the people of District One for your support through the years and, once again, ask for that continued support on Tuesday, Nov. 5, for the General

**Charles Walker** Coffee County Board of Education

District One Pd. Pol. Adv. by Charles Walker, 1228 County Rd. 217, Elbe, AL 36323 networking program available at ESJC

Enterprise State Junior College's computer repair and networking program addresses industry needs. "The classes provide students with the information they need to seek industry certification in areas of computer repair, networking installation, maintenance and administration," says program instructor Ken Persin. "The certification training provided covers A+, Network+, and Microsoft MCSE. In addition, these core courses can be used by students to obtain two-year certificates or associates degrees from ESJC in computer maintenance." To learn more abut these pro-

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## SPORTS

Views from....

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

ELBA TIGERS CONTINUE SLIDE IN REGION STANDINGS POLISH PROGNOSTICATOR PLODS ALONG WITH PREPS Pleasant Home 29 Ariton 22

pessimistic Tiger fan didn't think the Tigers would have a 1-4 region shine this week. Oh well, here goes.... record with only three weeks left in the season. Even with the 1-4 region record, the Tigers are still very much alive in their hunt for a ELBA VS. CALHOUN playoff berth, and probably hold their future in their own hands. If The Tigers from the Pea River will return home this week and Red Level 20 Slocomb 18 The second tie-breaker involves overall winning percentage, and kitties winless on the season. with a 6-4 record, the Tigers would get the nod and make the play- ELBA 40 CALHOUN 6 offs are the #4 seed from Region 1. I understand that Elba has to win three straight games and get a lot of help, but I have always heard NEW BROCKTON VS. G.W. LONG that a cat has nine lives, and just maybe these Pea River cats still. The Gamecocks know that the Rebels from over in Skipperville. Thomasville 20 Hillcrest 16

questionable offensive pass interference penalty, but after that did NEW BROCKTON 27 G.W. LONG 13 very little to threaten to score. While the defense fought until the final horn, Straughn got a huge break with a fifteen yard penalty KINSTON VS. COTTONWOOD against Elba on a fourth down play that eventually led to the only The Bulldogs got taken to the woodshed last week in a big region Vigor 41 Satsuma 6 score of the night, and it was the mistake by the Tigers on the fourth game and this week will have to reload to hunt Bear as Cottonwood down play that kept the drive alive. Everyone makes mistakes, and mistakes can almost always be corrected with practice, and that is what the Tigers have to do this week as they continue their fight for every play and see what happens. If Elba can win out and close the season with a 6-4 record it will be a winning season, no matter The Elba Tigers will be look. Friday night against Calhoun," Calhoun has looked at our 1-4. Pike County 69-14, and W.S. which teams from this region make the playoffs. Come on Tigers, ing to keep their playoff hopes said Elba's Coach Mike Waters, region record, and will come. Neal. The top returnees from

#### BRANTLEY IS ONLY AREA WINNER IN WEEK SEVEN

teams in the area it was a week to forget as only the Brantley test, in Elba. Bulldogs were able to put a win on their side of the ledger. Here's a

The Tigers will carry a 3-4 important game on our sched- have our hands full. So, we will 7-0 region setback to Straughn,

\*\*\* BRANTLEY (5-2) - The Bulldogs all but wrapped up the coming clash, while Calhoun "Calhoun is winless on the we are to keep any hopes of hard enough to win, but made region championship with an easy 53-6 win over the Kinston will enter the game with an 0-7 season," added Coach Waters, making the playoffs alive." too many mistakes against a Bulldogs. Brantley was expected to get the road win over its rivals slate. from Coffee County, but no one thought the Bulldogs would score Despite owning a 1-4 region letes and can play very well at of first year head coach Al team. On offense we played almost at will and roll to the lopsided win. Brantley has dominated record, the Tigers are still alive times. If it plays well early and Pogue, a former assistant coach hard and fought for everything play throughout the season in its region, and this week can wrap up in the playoff picture, and need gets some confidence we could at Robert E. Lee, while the Tiger we got, and had two chances to the title with a win over Zion Chapel. Looks to me like the Bulldogs wins in their remaining two have our hands full. We have to offense is directed by assistant score that we let slip away. Over are back and still hungry for more wins.

\*\*\* KINSTON (3-3) - The Bulldogs had high hopes going into making the post-season party. If get Calhoun hasn't won a game, assistant at Ribault High night and really got after last week's region clash against Brantley, but simply were over- Elba wins its remaining two and approach the game as if School, in Jacksonville, Florida. Straughn. They had some sucmatched and never put up much of a fight in falling 53-6. Kinston region games against Calhoun they were undefeated and we "We are going to spread the cess moving the football, but we has had its ups and downs this season, but will have to find a level and Clarke County, and then had to fight for our lives. On field and let the players make made them fight for every yard of consistency real soon if the Bulldogs are to achieve their goal of wins its season finale against offense we will have to establish plays," said Redden in a preseating and held them to their bay far a return trip to the playoffs. Hey, the hardest games are still on the Geneva County, the Tigers will our running game and be physison report. The Tigers will go their lowest output of the sea-

\*\*\* NEW BROCKTON (4-3) - The Gamecocks made the short 4 region record, and a 6-4 over- the line of scrimmage. We can majority of the game and will be. However, the players should trip down to Slocomb looking to lock up the #2 slot in the region all record. If W.S. Neal loses its mix in the pass and need to be led in its new offense by senior realize that we are much better standings, but instead limped back home after being blanked 26-0 final two region games against effective when we do throw the quarterback Tyler Stiles, who than our record shows, and the and now have a real fight on their hands just to make the playoffs. Straughn and T.R. Miller, and football, but against Calhoun we Redden stated "Is comfortable loss should make us even more The New Brockton offense did roll up some yardage against the then falls to 4A Geneva in its need to establish the run and with the offense." physical Slocomb front wall, but failed to cross the goalline, and in final game, the Eagles will close control the game at the line of Calhoun opened the season with a rush and to prove to turn suffered the loss. The Gamecocks still control their own destiny; however, and that has to the way they want it.

\*\*\* ZION CHAPEL (0-7) - The Rebels went down to Florala slate. Even if the Eagles defeat thing they might throw at us and ever since in falling to Clarke Thursday night looking for their first win of the season, but instead Geneva, the Eagles record will tackle well. They have some County 48-14, Straughn 43-20, came out on the short end of a 31-6 score and now find themselves only stand at 5-5. If Clarke players with good speed that can T.R. Miller 56-8, Sunshine 14-7, staring in the face of an 0-10 season. Even the biggest Zion Chapel County defeats Central and then make big plays, and we will fan knew it might be a long season due to the youth of the team, and loses to Elba and falls to 4A have to lock up and make tackthey need to remember that the record isn't always the best way to power Thomasville in its season les. We will again need to be gauge the success of a team. These Rebels still have three games finale, it will end the season physical up front, but must also left, and while they will be huge underdogs in all three, they can at with an identical 3-4 region be alert in the secondary and

#### WEEK #7 OF SEASON ANOTHER ONE FOR THE BOOKS

The seventh week of the high school football season is now in the will be used, and Elba would get never let up." books, and it was quite a week for many teams in the area, and all the fourth place seed based upon "I know that everyone thinks

across the state. Here are a few results worth mentioning.... \*\*\* Geneva slipped to 3-4 and suffered its third straight loss with "We know what we have to just because Calhoun hasn't a 26-7 defeat to Ashford. The Panthers have yet to win since the do to stay alive in the region won yet this season," said tragic death of their starting quarterback, and now will be in for a race and the first step will come Coach Waters, "but I imagine real fight just to post a winning record. Coach Boutwell and his team needs something good to happen to provide a much needed spark, but one thing you can count on is that even in a loss, the Panthers will play hard and pay with pride.

\*\*\* Bayside Academy has been a power in girls volleyball for years, but made the jump into the prep football wars last season and Friday night cleared a huge hurdle when the Admirals stunned Excel 39-16. Many of the private schools playing public school sports have made leaps and bounds in recent years, and it looks like there is another one on the horizon.

\*\*\* Dothan got its first win of the season with a 13-6 victory over Auburn, and now has new life and is looking forward to the remainder of the season. The Tigers are still a long way from being a team to watch in the 6A ranks, but with Northview still on the schedule. at least one more win should be just around the corner.

\*\*\* Jeff Davis regained bragging rights in the Capitol City with a 17-6 win over Robert E. Lee, and it looks like the balance of power in Montgomery, what little it may be, has swung back across town. The Vols began to make the trip back toward being a 6A power last season, and now may be even closer than many think. The 6A teams in Montgomery are still a long way from being at the top. However, at least Jeff Davis is making strides in that direction.

\*\*\* Opp lost to Rehobeth 7-6 in a big region game in the 4A

ranks, and after the game the Opp coach was quoted in a daily paper the game needing only a field goal to take the lead, but after a series of populties found themselves facing a first and 58, and way out of

Bobcats thought.

14, but the Wildcats battled the bigger Wolves on even terms be in for trouble. throughout the game and proved to their fans and themselves that COTTONWOOD 27 KINSTON 20 they could compete against any team in the state. The 'Cats put together a nine minute drive to open the third quarter that tied the ZION CHAPEL VS. BRANTLEY

don't expect me to wear that." However, Dad is mighty proud of his managed to score three points, and it was the lack of an offense that BRANTLEY 48 ZION CHAPEL 0 find and as far as I am concerned they have two choices - wear what spelled doom for the men from Troy. Don't look now, but Eufaula is 6-0 since its opening loss to Pike County!

The Elba Tigers dropped a hard fought 7-0 decision to the unde- Ye Ole Polish Prognosticator dropped by the office over the McKenzie 26 Blacksher 8 feated Straughn Tigers last week in Straughn and with the loss weekend and declared that even after an average week of prep picks. Houston County 16 Florala 14 dropped their fourth straight region game and saw their region he was still confident and determined to close out the season with Washington County 29 Bayside 10 record slip to 1-4 on the season. Everyone knew coming into the his best year ever. The local guesspert hit on 28 of 35 picks last. Goshen 22 Calera 20 season that the Tigers would be in the toughest region in the state in week to move his yearly totals to 183-41, but still has some tough. Southern Choctaw 34 Flomaton 6 Class 3A, and while that has certainly been the case, even the most games left on the schedule, and will need all his lucky charms to Samson 24 Geneva County 8

Elba can win its final two region games over Calhoun and Clarke will try to get well against a batch of 'Cats from up in Lowndes Montgomery Academy 31 Abbeville 6 County, and then defeat Geneva County in its season finale, the County that are starving after not tasting victory for seven straight. Clarke County 39 Central 6 Tigers will end the season with a 6-4 record, 3-4 in the region. If weeks. While Elba's 3-4 record might not strike fear into any of its. Pike County 27 T.R. Miller 17. W.S. Neal loses to Straughn and T.R. Miller it too will end the sea- opponents, the black and gold Tigers will be looking to shine in Straughn 16 W.S. Neal 14 son with a 3-4 region slate, as will Clarke County if it loses to Elba. front of a large homecoming crowd and should keep the Calhoun. Andalusia 21 Choctaw County 17

will be coming to town Friday night for a key region clash, and will Jackson 33 Monroe County 15 Looking back to last week's loss to Straughn, the Tigers played have their battle plans laid out and ready when they hit the field. Carroll 47 Escambia County 14 hard for all four quarters for the first time all season, but simply Last week's spanking in Slocomb may still have the Gamecocks Eufaula 14 Greenville 7 made too many mistakes to win against a team with the confidence tender in spots, but the guess here is that Brockton will rise up and Charles Henderson 56 Wilcox Central 8 and skill of Straughn. Elba missed out on an early score due to a defend its turf in a region war and emerge with the victory.

of field-goal range. Maybe life over in Wiregrass is tougher than the comes to town looking to wrap up a spot in the playoffs. Kinston's playoff hopes also ride with the outcome of Friday night's hunt, and \*\*\* Enterprise lost its homecoming game to undefeated Vigor 28- the Bulldogs will have to carry some mighty big guns or they could

score at 14-14, and showed their visitors that they would not back. The Rebels from the north woods of Coffee County got caught The girls can say what they want about needing more clothes, but down. I know that there are no such thing as moral victories over in shooting blanks last week down by the state line and came up empty Dad began digging in boxes over the weekend to find some winter Enterprise. However, Friday night they lost only on the scoreboard. in their hunt for a rare road win. This week the Rebs will head over clothes after hearing the weather reports, and found enough jackets \*\*\* Eufaula put an end to Charles Henderson's dreams of an to Crenshaw County looking to cage a pack of Bulldogs that have and fleece pullovers to keep a small army warm. I am sure the girls undefeated season by upsetting the Trojans 10-3. The Trojans got been getting fat on any and all of its region opponents, and the will tell me the stuff I found is out of style, or will declare "you inside the Eufaula thirty-yardline six times in the game, but only Rebels had better be ready or they could be the ones getting treed.

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## a berth in the playoffs. What the Tigers need to do is forget about the playoffs for one week and just try to go out and play their best on Elba Tigers host Calhoun in homecoming clash

overall record into the home- ule, because it is!"

least get a head start on next season with a couple of good showings. slate and an overall 3-6 record. play good pass defense. They Clarke County all tied with 3-4 looking to make a big play, and

its overall record.

have to be ready and play hard if Coach Waters stated "We played"

region games to have a shot at forget it is homecoming and for- coach Corey Redden, a former on defense, we played hard all end the regular season with a 3- cal up front to take command at out of a no-huddle attack the son. It was a tough game to lose. region record and a 4-6 overall will have to be ready for any- Hayneville, and has struggled are a good football team."

With Elba, W.S. Neal and will spread the field on offense region records, a tie-breaker we need to take charge early and

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alive and give a homecoming "Calhoun may be winless on the down here Friday night believ-last year's 1-9 season include crowd plenty to cheer about at season and be 0-5 in the region, ing they have a real shot at win- (OB) Tyler Stiles 6-0, 165; (DL) the same time Friday night but we have only won one ning. I look for Calhoun to be Jamie Haley 6-3, 250; (OL) when they host the Calhoun region game ourselves and will confident and expect them to Kenneth Taylor 5-10, 200; and The seventh week of the season has come and gone, and for the Tigers in a must win region con- work 'hard to' get 'ready for play their best game of the sea- (DL) Henry Tolling 5 11, 290. Calhoun like it is the most son If we just show up we could When asked about last week's

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# SPORTS

Suffer fourth straight region loss

## Tigers blanked by Straughn 7-0

By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor Photos by Mike Capps and lanet Brunson

The Elba Tigers saw their vicory drought continue against egion opponents Friday night is they lost a hard fought 7-0 pattle to the undefeated Straughn Tigers, in Straughn. The loss dropped Elba's ecord to 3-4, 1-4 in region action, while Straughn mproved its record to 7-0 with the win, 5-0 in region competi-

Neither team could mount an offensive threat early in the game due to a rash of penalties, and after four possessions the wo region rivals had combined for 16 yards in offense, while being penalized for a total of 30

Elba's offense showed signs

of life on its third possession of he night, and while the Tigers took advantage of two major distance penalties to help move lownfield, it was a penalty Elba coaches Jetey Wise (left) and Mike Waters watch against Elba that eventually kept is the Tigers battle Straughn. The 7-0 loss left the Tigers the Tigers off the scoreboard. A with a 3-4 record heading into this week's homecoming roughing the kicker penalty against Straughn on fourth down and 12 pumped new life into the Tiger drive early in the possession, while an 11-yard run by Mandrell Carpenter and a pass interference penalty against Straughn helped the Tigers each a first down at the Straughn 22-yardline, Todd Horstead bulled for a 5-yard gain on fourth down and four reached paydirt when Brandon Petty connected with Kirby straight region loss. Gray in the endzone. The touchlown was waved off due to an offensive pass interference penalty; however, and after the walk off the Tigers found themselves facing a second down all the way at the Straughn 26yardline. A 24-yard pass completion from Petty to Jason

halfback pass by Marcus Henderson missed its target, and the Elba scoring threat went by the board. A Marching Tiger trumpeter performs during halftime Straughn's offense came to eremonies at Friday night's region contest between life following the defensive stand, and behind the running of

Michael Hobbs and the passing of Justin Bracewell marched to a first down at the Elba 28-yardline. Two Elba penalties aided he long Straughn drive, but Straughn was flagged for a holding penalty after reaching the Elba 28, and three plays later was forced to punt after being knocked back to the Elba 48-

board. Straughn punted after quickly marched to a first down 248 U.S. Hwy. 231 North . Troy, AL . 334-566-3597 yard run by Dawanis Samuel attempt by Varner. American Camps Bring scored on a one-yard plunge to but misfired on three of four put Straughn on the scoreboard. passes, and at the final horn it Alabama's past to Life. Dusty Varner booted the extra- was Straughn that had claimed point, and with 7:57 left in the the region win by the final score 1700-1800 Living History third quarter Straughn was on of 7-0.

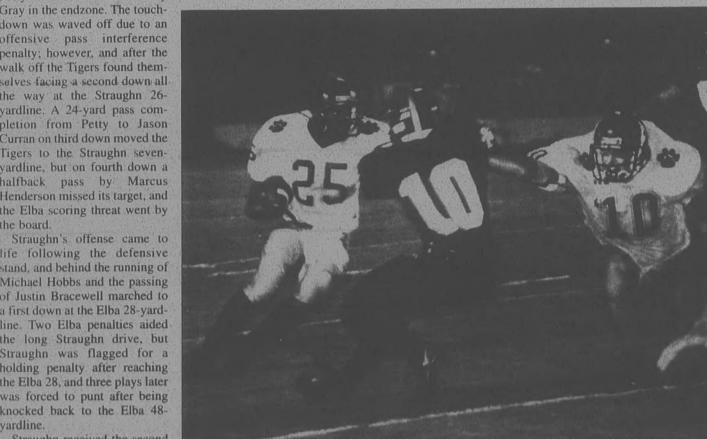
Elba's Ralston Moore came yards on 4 carries to lead Elba, up with a big fumble recovery at while Todd Horstead added 15 he Tiger 15-yardline late in the yards on 7 carries. Alphonso third quarter to stop a Straughn Freeney gained 79 yards on 15 scoring threat, and Dougie carries to lead Straughn, while 53 yard scamper on the next on 14 carries. play from scrimmage to set the Figers up at the Straughn 32ardline. A dropped pass at the Straughn 17 on third down and E eight left the Tigers facing a key 8

an end to the drive. quarter, and with the aid of an Elba penalty and a 16-yard dash y Michael Hobbs, Straughn



later in the drive to set Elba up with a first down at the Straughn

TIGERS MAKE TACKLE....Two Elba Tiger defenders combine to stop a Straughn 11, and on the next snap it running back for a short gain in last week's 7-0 loss. The Elba defense limited appeared as if the Tigers had Straughn to one touchdown, but it wasn't enough as the Tigers dropped their fourth



half kick off, and with the aid of Elba's Todd Horstead (25) cuts inside the block of fullback Jason Curran (10) in a crucial fourth down penalty against Elba, marched 65 yards last week's region battle agianst Straughn. The Tigers will be looking to snap their four against Elba, marched 65 yards in 11 plays to get on the score- game region losing streak this week when they host Calhoun for homecoming.

being able to gain only two at the Elba 35. Straughn overyards on its initial three plays of came a 15-yard penalty for a the half, but the Tigers were hit block below the waist to move with a personal foul penalty on to another first down at the 11. the fourth down play, and However, a holding penalty Straughn had new life at the killed the drive, and on fourth Elba 48-yardline. An 18-yard down Straughn came away pass from Justin Bracewell to empty-handed when Elba Brandon Hendrix and an 18- blocked a 27-yard field-goal moved Straughn deep into Elba The Tigers had one last territory, and Samuel later chance to get on the scoreboard,

Mandrell Carpenter gained 17

STATISTICS

1st Downs fourth down situation, and Elba 23-107 Rushes-Yds. 41-150 then turned the ball back over 43 Passing Yds. when a fourth down fumble put 150 Total Offense 5-19-0 Passes

A partially blocked punt set 0 Fumbles Lost Straughn up at its own 36-yard- 4-31 Punts-Ave. line midway through the fourth 11-101 Penalties-Yds. 11-107



Elba Tiger receiver Kyle English (4) reaches to pull in Pierson then broke loose for a Dawanis Samuel added 59 yards a pass in action last wek against Straughn. The Tigers will be looking to even their record at 4-4 Friday night when they host Cahoun in a key Region 1 match up.

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New Brockton head coach Shannon Clark talks with members of his team during a carries. Quarterback Joe Sawyer break in the action in Friday night's 26-0 loss to Slocomb. Gamecock palyers pictured hit on only 1 of 4 passes for four include Tyler Simmons (31), Daniel Hernandez (62) and Joe Sawyer (12).

Remains unbeaten in region play

## Brantley downs 'Dogs 53-6

The Brantley Bulldogs pulled on first down Channing Spivey maxed the long scoring march. Yards for the Red Top tally, but touchdown run by Danny However, Joe Sawyer's fourth ahead early in the second quar- dropped back and connected and Spivey then passed to the two-point try failed, and Sasser, and Todd Culpepper down pass to Dusty Medley fell ter and never looked back with Marcel Stamps on a 62- Jamyal Jones for the two-point with 9:55 left in the first quarter added the extra-point, to give incomplete in the endzone, and Friday night as they rolled to a yard touchdown toss. The extra-conversion as Brantley upped its Slocomb owned a 6-0 advantage of the Red Tops a commanding 19 th lopsided 53-6 win over the point try sailed wide, but with advantage to 27-0 with 5:31 tage. Kinston Bulldogs, in Kinston. 9:38 left in the half Brantley had remaining in the third quarter. New Brockton's first big play Neither team mounted a scor- stretched its lead to 13-0. Brantley appeared to add to came in the first quarter when Slocomb threatened again late. Brockton's record to 4-3 and came in the first quarter when ing threat on their initial posses. Cedric Brundidge picked off a its lead when Devaris Skanes Randy Danford recovered a in the half, but the Gamecocks' dropped its region slate to 2-3. sion of the game, but Brantley Kinston pass at the Brantley 20- returned a Kinston punt 55- fumble at the Slocomb 25-yard-

red a Kinston fumble at yardline to stop a Kinston drive yards for an apparent touch- line. Ray Magwood broke loose own 33-yardline midway midway through the second down. A penalty nullified the on first down and rambled 14 turn back the threat through the second quarter and stanza, and this time it took the long punt return, but only yards to the Red Top 11. Slocomb kicked off to open. Gamecock Stadium to host the promptly went on a 12 play, 67 Brantley offense eight plays to delayed the next Brantley score, However, a penalty for a block the second half, but got the ball G.W. Long Rebels. The matchyard march that resulted in the cover the 80 yards to the end- as three plays later Josh Burnett in the back moved the ball back right back on a New Brockton up will be one of New first points of the night. Jimmy zone. The touchdown came on a broke loose and raced 30 yards out to the 30, and on the very punt and needed only eight. Brockton's final region games Mitchell capped the long scor- 43-yard screen pass from for a Brantley touchdown next play Slocomb's Blake plays to cover the 53 yards to and will kick off at 7:30 PM. ing drive with a one-yard touch- Channing Spivey to Jamyal Cedric Jones booted the extra- Mills stepped in front of a Joe paydirt. Danny Sasser got the down plunge, and Cedric Jones. Jones, and although the two-point, and with 2:21 left in the Sawyer pass and carried the score on a 21-yard scamper, and tacked on the extra-point as point attempt failed, Brantley third quarter Brantley was interception 71 yards for a Red Culpepper tacked on the extra Brantley moved ahead 7-0 with was on top 19-0 with just :40 coasting with a 34-0 advantage. Top touchdown. The two-point point, as Sloce 11:57 remaining in the second left in the half.



Kinston's Jim Bedsole (25) heads upfield for a big gain a touchdown. Channing Spivey G.W. Long has suffered through an up and down Zion Chapel Rebels at Brantley Bulldogs as Brantley's Cassini Wiley (2) closes in to make the hit on 4 of 7 passes for 133 season this year and will bring a 3-4 record and a It will out of the frying pan and into the fire this stop. Bedsole had a 75 yard kickoff return for the yards and 3 touchdowns. Bulldogs' only score of the night.

Brantley received the second again after its next possession Brantley got the ball back on half kickoff and marched 71 failed to move the chains, and Slocomb had upped its advandown. Jones added the extrapoint, and with 0:00 showing on

plete command with a 41-0 lead. Brantley's next scoring drive was capped off with a 6-yard mee on the two-point try, and

he endzone, and at the final Gamecocks



A Kinston Bulldog runner races past two would-be Brantley defenders in last week's region battle. Brantley improved to 5-0 in region play with the 53-6 win.

Drop key region contest

#### Gamecocks shut out by Slocomb 26-0

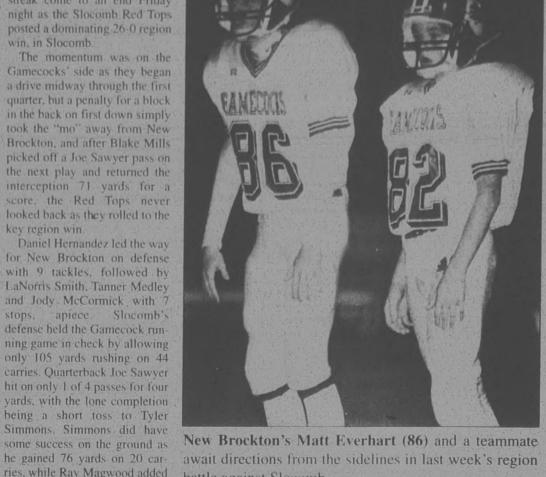
Story and photos by Robby

The New Brockton Gamecocks saw their winning streak come to an end Friday night as the Slocomb Red Tops posted a dominating 26-0 region win, in Slocomb.

The momentum was on the Gamecocks' side as they began drive midway through the first quarter, but a penalty for a block in the back on first down simply took the "mo" away from New Brockton, and after Blake Mills picked off a Joe Sawyer pass on the next play and returned the interception 71 yards for a score, the Red Tops never looked back as they rolled to the

Daniel Hernandez led the way for New Brockton on defense with 9 tackles, followed by LaNorris Smith, Tanner Medley and Jody McCormick with 7 stops, apiece. Slocomb's defense held the Gamecock running game in check by allowing yards, with the lone completion. being a short toss to Tyler ries, while Ray Magwood added battle against Slocomb.

Slocomb got on the score-



board first after holding New through the second quarter, wide, Statistics by Terry Kilcrease a Kinston punt and this time yards in 13 plays to take com- Brockton to a three and out. When the Red Tops went on a New Brockton's only scoring needed only one play to cover mand. A 20-yard pass from Justin Shipes took a pitch long drive to add to its lead. The chance of the second half came the 62 yards to the endzone, as. Spivey to Cedric Brundidge cli- around the left end and raced 30 drive was capped off by a 1-yard late in the fourth quarter;

0 lead with 4:47 remaining in clock to preserve the 26-0 win

STATISTICS

#### Brantley to celebrate homecoming

#### covered 57 yards in 7 plays and Important region battles highlight touchdown run by Antuan Week #8 action for area prep teams

ouchdown. However, Brantley preview of games involving area teams:

added 86 yards on 18 carries win this week over the Rebels if they are to post a will have its hands full! and returned a punt 63 yards for winning record and earn a berth in the playoffs. ing to keep their playoff hopes alive.

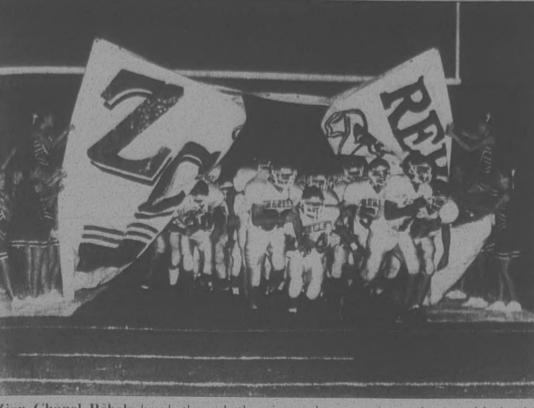
Cottonwood Bears at Kinston Bulldogs back in the win column and grab an important but this one looks like, a mismatch on paper. region win Friday night when they host the

with 4:12 left in the game. The high school football season will enter its. Cottonwood Bears. The Bulldogs saw their record Brantley's lead was up to 47-0. eighth week of action this Friday night, and for slip to 3-3 last week with a 53-6 loss to Brantley. Kinston avoided the shut out teams in the area and all across the state, the week and also saw their region slate dip to 3-2. Kinston when Jim Bedsole returned the eight contests could make the difference between is aware that it will take a minimum of four region nsuing kick off 75 yards for a making the playoffs and sitting at home. Here is a wins to make the playoffs, and with Pleasant Foster scampered 55 yards into G.W. Long Rebels at New Brockton the Bears. Cottonwood was expected to dominate horn Brantley had the big win The New Brockton Gamecocks will be looking the Bears will come to Kinston with a less than to keep their Class 2A, Region 2 playoff hopes impressive 2-5 record, they are 2-3 in the region Antuan Foster led the alive Friday night when they host the G.W. Long standings and still have a shot at making the play-Brantley ground game with 127 Rebels, in Gamecock Stadium. The (4-3) offs. The Bears will be coming in after a big win yards and 2 touchdowns on 10 Gamecocks saw their region slate drop to 2-3 last over Ariton, while the Bulldogs will be trying to carries, while Devaris Skanes week in a 26-0 loss to Slocomb, and will need a regroup after their huge loss to Brantley. Kinston

> 2-3 region slate into the Friday night clash. The week for the Zion Chapel Rebels as they head Rebels opened the season with losses to Dale over to Brantley to battle the region leading County 32-0, Samson 21-12 and Houston Brantley Bulldogs. The Rebels saw their record Academy 33-0, but have rebounded in recent slip to 0-7 and their losing streak reach 11 games weeks and claimed wins over Geneva County 20- last week in a 31-6 setback to Florala, and the D, Zion Chapel 47-7 and Wicksburg 33-20, while Rebs must try and find a cure for their woes in a losing only to Slocomb 33-8. While the hurry before they arrive for the homecoming party Gamecocks experience may give them the edge, in Crenshaw County. Brantley improved its record this could be a real battle between two teams try- to 5-2 last week and remained undefeated in the region with a 53-6 romp past Kinston, and can wrap up the region title this week when it hosts Zion Chapel. If the Bulldogs start the party a little The Kinston Bulldogs will be hoping to get too early the Rebels could provide a mild surprise,

> SUPPORT YOUR FAVORITE TEAMS WITH YOUR ATTENDANCE AT THIS WEEK'S GAME...LET 'EM HEAR YOU CHEER!!

# **SPORTS**



Zion Chapel Rebels break through the victory banner prior to last week's battle held off Gibson to take the win. 50 states and many foreign countries have visited Alabama to hand gainst the Florala Wildcars. The Rebels will travel to Brantley this week looking to poil the Bulldogs' homecoming celebration. Kickoff will be at 7:30 PM.

Record slips to 0-7

## Rebels clawed by 'Cats 31-6

Photos by Herb Winters

raight for Zion Chapel over a Florala fumble at the Zion, the fourth quarter.

Rayburn, Rayburn gained 12 kick off and quickly marched. Smith to Hayden Osborn was a The Rebels got the ball right The Rebels began their next yards on 23 carries to lead Zion back at the Florala 26-yardline possession at the Zion Chapel, Chapel, while Hayden Osborn

Zion Chapel's Brandon Arnold (7) fights for extra the weekend ending September yardage after pulling in a pass in last week's region clash 29. The women's team placed against Florala. The Rebels will be looking to get in the finished seventh. Both teams win column this week when they travel to Brantley to placed a combined six individutangle with the Brantley Bulldogs.

Henderson was able to close on and Oklahoma. That sounds far away, but when you look on a map the past two years and dropped. Chapel 14 with only seconds. Florala intercepted another. Ashley, but ran out of laps, there are only two or three states between us and these two states

after a one-yard punt, but lost 35 and quickly moved out to added 25 yards on 6 carries an pulled in a 35-yard pass comple tion. Mark Geohagan gained 7 yards on 10 carries to lea-

STATISTICS

Tst Downs Rushing Yds. Passing Yds. 208 Total Offense 7-28-2 Passes 3/3 Fumbles/Lost 62 Penalty Yds.

#### Troy State rodeo team places fifth

completed its first rodeo at the aline County Fairgrounds over fth overall and the men's team als in the top 10 of their respec-

#### Peel and Martin claim wins in SAS action

Let's Go...

Ricky Osborn was awarded sec- John Singletary was able

**Outdoors** with Ben

y Ben Norman, Sports Columnist

ond place with Kim Bishop keep Adkins in sight, but Adkins Keym Peel and Brian Martin moved to third. J.R. Andrews led all five laps. ontinued their winning ways and John Westfall were awarded. For more information, contact Saturday night at South fourth and fifth place Alabama Speedway, taking wins money. n the Modified and Street Stock In a special Reverse Race. Ken www.southalabamaspeedway.co Adkins was again the winner.

Peel came from the rear of the ield and had to chase down Ken libson to take his 16th Feature vin of 2002. Gibson took the ead on the second lap and built big lead while Peel was trying o work his way through traffic Peel had worked his way to secnd by the tenth lap when he

oin and had to go back to the

But danger looms on the western horizon in the form of a no Martin also charged from the referred to. What is CWD? I talked with Keith Guyse, Assistant to the inside of Roberts on lap "I'm thankful to say that we have no known cases of chronic ten yards on the next three midfield on a 14 yard run by 16 and the two ran side by side wasting disease in Alabama at present, but CWD is something for

plays, and then turned the ball. Josh Smith. The drive came to for a lap and a half before sportsmen and Game Commissions to be concerned about. We are back over to the Wildcats when an abrupt end; however, when a Martin was able to complete the going to beef up surveillance on Alabama's deer heard," said Guyse The Zion Chapel Rebels jour a fourth down pass missed its Smith pass was picked off by pass Roberts held on for second. According to Guyse, CWD is a neurological disease caused by an the Wildcats' Heath Bedsole and and was followed by Derek abnormal protein that is very resistant to common treatments' such might to tangle with the Florala. A 41 yard gain by Florala's returned to the Zion Chapel 28. Deese, Tim Hudson, and Scott. as heat, disinfectants or antibiotics. Deer and elk are slow to show Wildcars and saw the home. Mark Geohagan quickly moved yardline. Four plays later Tyler. Morse in the caution free race. signs of the disease after they contact it. They may appear normal anding Cats turn four second the Wildcats to the Zion Chapel Hughes hooked up with In the Super Stock Feature, for years after becoming infected, and then go down rapidly as the half furnovers into touchdowns. 23-yardline, and the Wildcats. Anthony Lynn on a 12-yard. David Ashley led flag to flag in disease advances. as they pulled away to hand the got as close as the Rebel 12. scoring pass, and even though a another caution free race. Jody. Authorities are only able to diagnose CWD in dead animals. The loss was the eleventh. Chapel's Andy Kelley recovered on top 18-0 with 11.54 left in starting spot to finish second. far the nearest states to Alabama to confirm CWD are Wisconsin

Rebel pass on Zion Chapel's before mounting a serious chal-said Guyse. cason, while the win snapped. Zion Chapel received the secon next possession, and this time lenge for the win. Rick Northey. CWD was first discovered in Colorado and Wyoming in the early Floraki's 28 game losing streak and half kick off, but kept the turned the turned in Timished third with Mike Hussey 1980s. It has many of the symptoms of scrappie, a disease found in d upped the Wildcats record - ball for only two plays before a -instant touchdown as Marcus - tourth and Ken Pettis fifth. - domestic sheep. Guyse says some biologists suspect CWD may fumble set the Wildcats up at the Scofield returned the intercept in the Roadrunner Feature, have originated from scrappie. Animals who have contacted CWD ed the opening. Rebels. 23-yardline. The tion 25 yards for a touchdown. Todd Boswell led flag to flag for appear emacrated. The disease attacks the nervous system and

KEEP ELBA DRY

# RALLY and PRAYER SERVICE

On the Square

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3rd 7:00 pm Music 7:20 pm Prayer Service

Everyone is invited to join us for this community service prior to the vote on the Wet/Dry Referendum.

Please call Jack E. Brunson at 897-6056 for additional information.

(The event will last approximately 30 minutes. You may wish to bring a chair if needed.

The service will be held at First Baptist Church in the event of inclement weather.) Pd. Pol. Adv. by Keep Elba Dry Committee, P.O. Box 507, Elba, AL 36323

established by the Legislature to

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### LEGAL NOTICES

All Elba Clipper legals are posted on the internet at http://www.alabamalegals.com/main for no additional charge

#### STATE OF ALABAMA PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR

WHEREAS, the Alabama Alabama of 1901, shall become applicable, all or any part of any Legislature at its Regular effective only upon its ratifica- site or industrial park project to election to be held on a certain voters voting on such ratifica- or other business entity, public proposed law, set out herein as tion. Act No. 2001-915; that such "Proposed by Act 2001-915" all development board or other election be held on Tuesday, This description shall be fol-November 5, 2002; and WHEREAS, notice of this election, together with this proposed "Yes () No ()." amendment, is required by law and by the provisions of Act No. I further direct and proclaim that ping, and operating industrial 2001-915 to be given by notice of this election to be held commercial, research, or service Proclamation of the Governor, on Tuesday, November 5, 2002. which Proclamation shall be be given by publishing the same (3) Lend its credit to or gran the election, in all newspapers. November, 2002, in a newspaper entity, public or private, for the qualified to run legal notices in per qualified to run legal notices purpose of promoting the eco

State of Alabama by the power notice shall be posted at each therein. Governor, do hereby give notice, such county.

substantially as follows: Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 DON SIEGELMAN providing that any new proposed GOVERNOR to replace the existing Constitution of Alabama of 1901 shall become effective only upon its ratification by a majority of the qualified votes voting on such ratification "Proposed by Act 2001-915." Do you favor the adoption of this

YES ( ) NO ( ) The language on the proposed PROCLAMATION amendment as taken directly BY THE GOVERNOR from the act is set out hereinafter as follows:

Enrolled, An Act. voting on such ratification; pro- and

The Legislature shall provide for requirements of this act are ful-the notice, and procedures related to the election, canvassing, proclamation, and costs which

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Constitution of Alabama 1901, election to be held on a certain of this state. providing that any proposed law, set out herein as Neither Coffee County nor any "Proposed by Act 2002-294." constitution officially adopted to Act No. 2002-279; and further city or municipality located Do you favor the adoption of this replace the Constitution of ordered by joint resolution dur- therein shall lend its credit to or law? Alabama of 1901, shall be effecing the regular session of 2002 grant any public funds or thing of tive only if approved by a majority of the electors of the state that such election be held on value to or in aid of any private ruesday, November 5, 2002; entity under the authority of this

or private, including any industri-

by the county or any municipal ty therein, for the purpose of constructing, developing, equip

Siegelman, Governor of the paper is published, a copy of the city or municipality located and authority vested in me as courthouse and post office in. In carrying out the purposes of this amendment, neither Coffee and direct and proclaim that on IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have County nor any city or munici- WHEREAS, notice of this electhe day of September 2002 including specifically any industrial development board incorporated under Chapter 54, Article 1975, and any industrial development authority incorporated or

92A. Title II of the Code of the powers granted to such board or authority under its board or authority under its respective enabling legislation are validated notwithstanding. are validated notwithstanding any other provision of law or of this Constitution. The powers and authority vested in me as no way restrictive of, powers substantially as follows:

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published once a week for four once a week for four successive public funds and things of value WHEREAS, the Alabama successive weeks immediately weeks immediately preceding in aid of or to any individual firm.

Legislature at its Regular preceding the day appointed for Tuesday, the 5th day of corporation, or other business Session of 2002 ordered an election to be held on a certain proposed law, set out herein as as the certifications pursuant to PROCLAMATION Act No. 2002-294, and further Section 16-13-281(c) Code of BY THE GOVERNOR NOW, THEREFORE, I, Don every county in which no news- ment of Coffee County of any ordered by joint resolution dur-Alabama 1975 are made. The ing the regular session of 2001 Governor shall certify to the WHEREAS, the Alabama that such election be held on state comptroller and notify the Legislature at its Regular Tuesday, November 5, 2002; Legislature that proration would Session of 2002 ordered an

election will be held in the manner and form provided by law upon the following:

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Constitution of Alabama of 1901. has been declared and for which to provide a means by which funds have been withdrawn, members of the sheep and goat then the amount corresponding industry may organize and by to the reduced proration per- referendum levy upon themcentage shall be transferred selves assessments for the puramendment unless prior The language on the proposed back to the General Fund Rainy pose of financing promotional voting on such radication, providing for such radication by the viding for proclamation by the WHEREAS, notice of this election, together with this proposed Governor; authorizing the tion, together with this proposed to be taken by Coffee County or the act is set out here-tion, together with this proposed to be taken by Coffee County or the act is set out here-tion, together with this proposed to be taken by Coffee County or the act is set out here-tion, together with this proposed to be taken by Coffee County or the act is set out here-tion. Legislature to provide for certain and by the provisions of Act No. therein is at a public meeting of for the publication of the text of the governing body of the country and by the provisions of Act No. therein is at a public meeting of the governing body of the country and by the provisions of Act No. therein is at a public meeting of the governing body of the country and by the governing body of the ferred back to the General Fund "Proposed by Act 2002-399." Rainy Day Account shall neces- Do you favor the adoption of this

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GOVERNOR

tion of the appropriations from from any account created herein

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to be certified by the Finance SECRETARY OF STATE Fiscal Officer at the same time STATE OF ALABAMA

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THE ELBA CLIPPER • THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2002

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#### OVEMBER 5. 2000 GENERAL ELECTION

" B 4"

STATE OF ALABAMA COFFEE COUNTY		2nd Clerk	Betty Reynolds
We, the undersigned Appointing Board of Coffee County, do		Inspector	Betty Sessions
hereby appoint the following named persons to conduct the General and Constitutional Amendment Election to be held		Chief Clerk	Wilmer Carnley
		1st Clerk	
on November 5, 2002.	The property of the property o	2nd Clerk .	
DISTRICT ONE		Beat Fourteen/2 - Holley's Store	
Beat Two - Danley's Cross Roads		Inspector	Shirley Chambless
Inspector	Mack Donaldson	Chief Clerk	Lora Chambless
Chief Clerk	Winfred Baker	1st Clerk	Grace Weeks
1st Clerk	Jeanette B. Nelson	2nd Clerk	D. Lois Culver
2nd Clerk	Matthew Ellis Holloway		
Beat Three - Lee Community		Beat Sixteen - Damascus Inspector	Judith Hurlay
Inspector	Alling Log	Inspector Chief Clerk	Cheryl Farrie
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1st Clerk	Ashley Nelson	2nd Clerk	Ed Carroll
2nd Clerk	Mary Alice Lee	Cha Oloin	
		Beat Eighteen - Kinston	
Beat Four - Newbia		Inspector	Howard E. Bess
Inspector	Brenda Johnson	Chief Clerk	Sara Nell Bowden
Chief Clerk		1st Clerk	Mary Cook
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2nd Clerk	Ginger vinson	DISTRICT FOUR	
Beat Five - Bluff Springs		Beat Seven - Goodman	
Inspector	Gilmer Grant	Inspector	Jimmy Watson
Chief Clerk	Teresa Ann Martin	Chief Clerk	Hilda Allen
1st Clerk	Lillie Jo Helms	1st Clerk	Roy Grimes
2nd Clerk	Levy C Kelley	2nd Clerk	Marjorie Herrington
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Inspector		Inspector	Rhonda McCrummen
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Registration List Clerk	Estella Williams	Beat Eight/2 - Cool Springs	
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		Chief Clerk	Ruth Pipkins
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Inspector	Patsy English	Inspector	Cara D. Horstoad
Chief Clerk	Tally Charles	CHIEF CIGIN	

Inspector ... Leo Brown Chief Clerk ... Louise Bozeman Inspector ... Leo Brown Sheep and goat industry may Chief Clerk ... Dallas Dean Chief Clerk ... Yvette McKinnon Flowers ... Alabama of 1967, to provide a means by which members of the address on or after 10:00 AM on Nov. 1, 2002. 1st Clerk Shirley Dean 1st Clerk Edna Blair levy upon themselves assess- ments for the purpose of finance and by referendum levy upon themselves assess- ments for the purpose of finance serves the right to bid or DISTRICT TWO
Beat Nine - New Brockton Community Room
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1st Clerk
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Beat Ten/1 - Victoria
Inspector
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Beat Seventeen - Johns Chapel AME Church
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Sheep and goat industry.
"Proposed by Act 2002-399"
This description shall be followed by the following language:
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Proposed by Act 2002-399"
This description shall be followed by the following language:
"Yes () No ()."

I further direct and proclaim that notice of this election to be held on Tuesday, November 5, 2002, be given by publishing the same."

Shirley White Inspector Shirley White
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1st Clerk Beat Seventeen - YMCA Machine One
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Beat One - Perry's Store

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> Appointing Board Done this the 16th day of October, 2002.

/a/ James M. Counts Circuit Clerk

DISTRICT THREE

Acting for Sheriff

/s/Rex Killingsworth

/s/William O. Gammill Judge of Probate

LEGAL NOTICES

Continued from previous page

goats and their products to administer and carry out any promotional program which shall include the conducting of elections or referendums among The Legislature may provide the corporate limits of the City. producers of sheep and goats. manner by which a referendum is held, including the procedure for application for approval to conduct the referendum, the appropriate action to be taken by the State Board of Agriculture and Industries on an application, the requirements and eligibility of the association or organization which will conduct the refering and eligibility to vote in the municipality (City of Elba) eferendum, and the details of the conduct of the referendum. The Legislature shall further provide for the deposit, withdrawal, OF ELBA disbursement, and expenditure by the designated association of any funds received subject to the supervision and control of

the activities as authorized by ESTATE OF the Department of Agriculture SAMUEL FLEETWOOD CARNand Industries and the State LEY
Board of Agriculture and DECEASED Industries. The Legislature shall further provide a procedure for PROBATE COURT the association or organization PC-02-59 to be bonded, for the examinasidered a tax within the meaning of this constitution or any other /s/ Nancy C. Morrow

provisions. Any uniformity /s/ Melanie C. Jones requirements of this constitution Personal Representatives shall be satisfied by the applica- 10-10,17,24pd tion of the program upon the sheep and goat industry. Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment shall be Constitution of Alabama of 1901, laws of this state. Section 3. The appropriate elecnumber for the proposed consti-Beat Twenty Two Wise Mill School Voting Housewood Beat Nine - National Guard Armory, New Brockton Alabama of 1901, to provide a The sale will be held at above

sheep and goat industry may organize and by referendum

Nov. 1, 2002.

The seller shall have

be given by publishing the same Letters of Administration of said notice shall be posted at each required to present the same courthouse and post office in within the time allowed by law



SECRETARY OF STATE

Glena M. Wise PROBATE COURT

Letters Testamentary of said deceased having been granted to the undersigned on the 30th Beat Seven - Pleasant Ridge
Leon Reynolds Chief Clerk
Leon Reynolds Chief Clerk
Chief Clerk
Sue Walls
Sue within time allowed by law or the same will be barred.

/s/Clee Marie Walsh Personal Representative 10-3, 10, 17 chg.

OPTION ELECTION

The City Council for the City of Elba, Alabama does hereby give Notice of a Municipal Option Election to determine whether the municipality shall permit the legal sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages within the

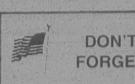
Date of Election: November 5, 2002 Time: 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m Location: Recreation Center, 764 North Claxton Avenue, Elba, Alabama

Ballot Issue: Do you favor the legal sale and distribution o alcoholic beverages within the

CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY

tion and auditing of the associa- Letters Testamentary of said tion or organization, and for readeceased having been granted sonably necessary rules and to the undersigned on the 7th regulations to be adopted by the day of October, 2002, by the State Board of Agriculture and Hon, William O. Gammill Judge Industries to effectively carry out of the Probate Court of Coffee the intent and purposes of this County, notice is hereby given amendment. Assessments, fees, that all persons having claims or other charges collected as against said estate are hereby authorized by any legislative act required to present the same adopted under authority of this within time allowed by law or the amendment are not to be con- same will be barred.

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October has been proclaimed (BQA) program. The BQA pro-Beef, Month by Governor Don gram is a voluntary quality con-Siegelman as he salutes the trol program sponsored by the 25,000 cattle producers in Alabama Cattlemen's Alabama. This is the 38th con- Association through the Auburn

COMMUNITY

secutive year that Alabama's University extension program. Governor has made this procla- Beef producers learn managemation for one of the state's ment practices that will ensure a largest agricultural industries. quality beef product for the con-The beef cattle industry is the sumer. Alabama is one of the second largest segment of agri- leading states in providing BQA culture in Alabama with sales programs for cattle producers. approaching \$500 million annu- Also, in responding to the ally. Cattle are produced in all needs of today's consumers,

sixty-seven counties. The major manufacturers have Alabama Cattlemen's developed a variety of "heat and Association, with its 12,644 serve" beef products. These members, is the largest state beef dishes are fully cooked and beef cattle organization in the ready to serve in ten minutes from your microwave. The new Cattle producers and con- beef products come in an assortsumers have a reason to cele- ment of beef cuts such as the brate October Beef Month as six beef pot roast, ground beef new beef products were recently crumbles, beef tips with gravy. accepted for use of the beef grilled, seasoned beef steak industry's checkoff-funded strips and more. Today, con-"Mark of Quality". In addition sumers can look for the new o a great tasting beef product, "heat and serve" beef products consumers can also expect great in the fresh meat case of your Mark of Quality is an integral "On October 10-13 beef will part of the beef cattle industry's be front and center before over Brand-Like Initiative, imple- 35,000 consumers at the mented through the beef check- Southern Women's Show held at

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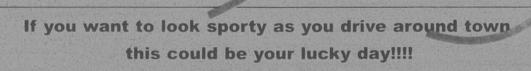


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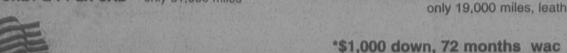
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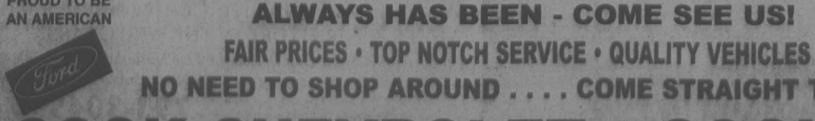


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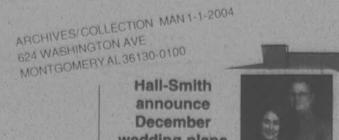


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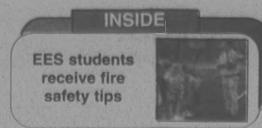


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#### Red Ribbon Week set for Oct. 26-Nov. 3

increase awareness among today's youth about the dangers associated with the use of drugs. In that regard, Alabama has taken one step towards this goal with Gov. Don Siegelman prolaiming the week of Oct. 26-Nov. 3 as Red Ribbon Week This yearly campaign was created several years ago in remem-Enforcement Agency) Agent killed by drug traffickers in

MUSIC MEMORIES ... Several months ago, a committee began working on the possibility of having or activity and wearing and disa reunion for former band members of the Elba Marching Tiger Band. That work paid dividends last playing red ribbons (representing Friday, Oct. 18, during the Elba High School Homecoming festivities as an enormous crowd of "old" no use of drugs during Red band members showed up for the event. This year's edition of the the band marks the 60th year Elba Ribbon Week). has fielded a marching band, and a great deal of memories were shared last Friday evening as the for- Gov. Siegelman has said Red mer band members gathered before halftime to watch the current band perform. At the end of the band's Ribbon Week is a chance to be lence in education, establish high standards of education and performance, the old members hit the field once again (this time with kazoos instead of instruments) visible and vocal in efforts to promote educational and charitable projects and activities and joined the current members in playing the fight song. In the picture above, the "old" band members bring about a drug-free Alabama enriching the lives of individuals everywhere and assisting these got an opportunity to practice the "fight song" with their kazoos before halftime after a late second since research shows that children individuals into happy, constructive and fulfilling lives. quarter touchdown was scored by the Tigers. The sound wasn't nearly as loud as the members once are less likely to use alcohol and Representing the sorority for the procla

Mexico, It represents an opportunity for individuals to demon-

drugs when parents and other role Nadine Scarborough of Elba

by Linda Hodge, Editor

As the concern over substance—use and abuse fied in their prevention efforts to ibuse seems to increase daily. By signing the proclamation, help reduce the demand for drugs.

state their opposition to substance of Alabama to be visible and uni-

Elba Mayor James Grimes recently signed a proclamation acknowledging the month of October as International Alpha Delta Kappa Month, Alpha Delta Kappa is an international hon



**Don't Forget to Turn Your Clocks Back One Hour Saturday Night!** 

(WIA) with a focus on acade-served.

Coffee County Children's Policy Council receives grant

mics, life skill training and job The program is also looking development opportunities for for community involvement

The Coffee County churches and other non-profit Commission will serve as the agencies, businesses and fiscal agent for the grant in com-schools. The youth and employpliance with Alabama ers will be the long-term benefi-

Department of Economic and ciaries of this cooperative effort.

been selected to serve as the Circle, Enterprise. She will be

Youth Development Facilitator part of Enterprise CareerLink in

for the program and will serve the Alabama Career Center's

county areas. English holds a Programs offered in coopera-

Bachelor of Science degree tion with educational systems

from Troy State University and will include tutoring, GED prep.

both Coffee and Covington One Stop System.

has taught school in Coffee and

Geneva County, and served as

Site Coordinator for an at-risk

afterschool remediation pro-

gram in Jackson County School

System in Florida. She has

experience in teaching, job

interview training, computer

training and other skills related

to preparing young people for

The program will focus on in-

school and out-of-school at-risk

and economically disadvan-

taged youth, giving them oppor-

unities they may otherwise not

through partnerships with

Community Affairs require- English's office will be Brockton Gamecocks will travel to Wicksburg, the Kinston

Patsy English of Elba has Skills Center, 2021 Boll Weevil will be at home against Cottonwood and the Brantley Bulldog

housed in the South Alabama | Bulldogs will travel to Pleasant Home, the Zion Chapel Rebels

Siegelman, Democrat, Bob Myers, Libertarian Ivey, Republican, and Chad Democrat, and Ronnie Burns Patsy English of Elba named youth development facilitator Democrat; and Gregory B. Gibson, Democrat; Beth Board of Education, District White, Republican

Area Happenings

AREA FOOTBALL GAMES On Friday, Oct. 25, the Elba

Figers will travel to Grove Hill to take on Clarke County, the New

will travel to Florala. All games will begin at 7:30 p.m. except the

inston and Zion Chapel games which will begin at 7 p.m.

COFFEE COUNTY COMMISSION will hold its regular

monthly meeting Monday, Sept. 28, 9 a.m., in the communi

ALLELUJAH FEST 2002 will be held Wednesday, Oct. 30,

om 5:30-9 p.m. instead of Saturday, Oct. 26, at the Elbe

29, from 3:30-6 p.m. at the high school. Parents are stron-

coom at the county complex in New Breckton,

eachers and take a tour of the facility.

The Coffee County other community programs that Basic Ed classes, youth work For State Representative, Franklin Reeves, Libertarian Democrat; and Keith Ward, Children's Policy Council has are helping in these areas, this experience, funding for college District No. 91: Terry Spicer, For Commissioner of Republican been awarded one of 30 grants grant will serve as a complimen- and pre-employment work. Democrat; and Wess, Howell, Agriculture and Industries: Ron For Member, Coffee Coun from the Alabama Department tary focus, because the youth maturity skills. Republican Sparks, Democrat; J. Lee Alley, Board of Education, District of Children's Affairs to hire a will now have someone who can English is available to speak For Associate Justice of the Republican, and Maude G. No. 7: Danny A. Jernigan

for Coffee and Covington needs and then link them to the to further explain the program Anderson, Democrat, Harold For Public Service For Coffee County Coron Funding for this comprehen- place. According to English, this ships. For more information Bear, Libertarian sive youth program comes program is looking to be a ser- about the Youth Development For Court of Civil Appeals through ADECA from the vice of referral, cooperation and Program, English can be Judge, Place No. 1. Vicky

Workforce Investment Act participation in the communities reached at 393-3782 or 393- Underwood Toles, Democrat,

## Several state and county offices await General Election 2002 decision

Riley, Republican; and John Thompson, Republican Sophocleus, Libertarian
 For Court of Criminal Clark, Libertarian With Election Day 2002 fast For Lieutenant Governor: Appeals Judge, Place No. 1: For Public Service approaching, the voters of Lucy Baxley, Democrat, Bill Eric B. Funderburk, Democrat, Commission, Place No. 2: Greg Coffee County will join those Armistead, Republican, and H.W. "Bucky" McMillan, Pierce, Democrat, George C. cross the state in deciding Lyn Curtis Adams, Libertarian Republican; and Troy E. Allen Wallace Jr., Republican; and which officials will serve as For U.S. Senator Susan Jr., Libertarian Matthew B. "Cardy" heir representatives for the Parker, Democrat, Jeff For Court of Criminal Abernathy, Libertarian

ext term of office. Sessions, Republican, and Jeff Appeals Judge, Place No. 2: For Member, State Board of In Coffee County, voters will. Allen, Libertarian Florence Mangum Cauthen, Education, District. No. 2: e asked to make their choice. For U.S. Representative, 2nd. Democrat, and Pam "Walking. Charlotte Kirkland Williams. concerning several county and Congressional District: Charles Baschap, Republican Democrat; and Betty Peters, state offices, as well as John Woods Democrat, Terry For Secretary of State: Nancy Republican separate amendments. The Everett Republican, and Floyd L. Worley, Democrat, Dave For Coffee County Sheriff offices up for election and the Shackelford Libertarian Thomas, Republican; and Mark Ben Moates, Democrat, and

candidates vying for those For Attorney General, Boyd Bodenhausen, Libertarian Ricky Barnes, Republican Whigham, Democrat, Bill For State Treasurer: Stephen For Coffee County Revenue For Governor Don Pryor, Republican; and Wilson Foster Black, Democrat, Kay Commissioner: Donnie Farris, For State Senator, District "Gabe" Garland, Libertarian Republican No. 31: Jimmy W. Holley, For State Auditor: Carolyn For Member, Coffee County Chapman, Republican; and No. 1: Charles Walker

youth development facilitator help them identify specific with individuals and/ or groups. Supreme Court: James H. Hulcher, Libertarian Republican

appropriate resources already in or to assist in creating partner. See, Republican; and Tom Commission, Place No. 1: Jan Elba Division: Marvin Cook, Democrat; Charles B. MclLwain, Democrat Enterprise Division: Robert 1. Preachers, Democrat; and Mike



Miss Elba





April Hawthorne Miss Kinston

Sarah Maddox Miss Zion Chapel Miss National Peanut Festival Pageant set for Friday & Saturday Miss Elba Shay Johnson; Miss

Gomez, Republican

Zion Chapel Sarah Maddox; and Miss Kinston April Hawthorne will be representing their com-munities at the Miss National Peanut Festival pageant on Friday, Oct. 25 (preliminaries) and Saturday, Oct. 26 (finals) at 7:00 p.m. both nights at the Dothan Civic Center.